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[SACRAMENTO.]

ABOUT TO FLIT

HOMEWARD.

Extra Session Ready to Adjourn Today.

Some of the Lawmakers Have Already Departed.

Work of the Session Reviewed by Prominent Members.

Not All the Objects it Was Called for Attained.

Governor Scored No Great Personal Triumph in the Achievements of the Legislature—All Patronage Bills Defeated.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The extra session of the Legislature will adjourn sine die tomorrow noon, and prospects are that very few members will be in their seats at that time. Lieut.-Gov. Neff presided over the Senate this afternoon, President Pro Tem. Flint leaving for San Francisco. Some of the southern members will start for home tonight, and some in the morning. Others will go to San Francisco to attend the reception to Senator-elect Bard, which is expected to call together an assemblage of the most distinguished Republicans in the State. In this connection it is reported that Gov. Gage and Secretary of State Curry are somewhat offended at not receiving a special invitation to that function. It is generally understood, however, that although cards have been issued, no good Republican will be turned away. Dispatches in the morning papers relative to the warm reception to the Senator at Los Angeles [illegible] suggested that San Francisco will endeavor to warm up considerably for the occasion tomorrow night.

Proceedings in the Senate and Assembly today dragged considerably, though there were several lively tilts. Johnson's bill for the suspension of public lands by the Governor in case of suspected frauds, despite the fight made on it yesterday, was passed by a scratch today, after a call of the House. The bill, however, went to the Senate committee, where, as one Senator remarked tonight, it will be "smothered to death and never be heard from again."

Fairweather's proposed constitutional amendment allowing counties to frame local government acts, was knocked out, and Hoey's resolution of sympathy with the Boers, was killed largely by referring it to committee, both largely by Republican votes.

Another partisan discussion was provoked by O'Brien's joint resolution against the proposed treaty in relation to the Nicaragua Canal. O'Brien made the charge that the treaty did not reserve to the United States the right of absolute dominion over the canal, but Dibble and Dunlap successfully contested that point, Dibble declaring he did not believe in slapping the President in the face in the manner the resolution proposed. Caminetti declared that what the people want is an American canal, and he predicted that the Republican leaders in Congress would be found fighting the treaty. White of San Francisco (Dem.,) declared that Republican apprehension as to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty was unnecessary, for he contended that a contract cannot live forever, and this treaty or contract was now over fifty years old. The resolution was finally voted down, by yeas 20, nays 37.

The Senate confirmed the appointments sent in yesterday by the Governor, and a new list sent in today, but some of them went through only by a scratch, and in one case, that of Poppe of Sonoma, a call of the Senate was had, lasting nearly an hour. Those sent in today which particularly interest Los Angeles were R. H. F. Variel, H. W. O'Melveny, John S. Collins, N. P. Conrey and E. J. Lewis, trustees of the State Normal School at Los Angeles.

No new business can be introduced in either house tomorrow, and Chairman Rickard of the Assembly Enrolling and Engrossing Committee, says his committee is clear of work and has nothing to report back.

Senator Davis tonight said that the Governor had failed entirely in his removal propositions, as not a scrap of that kind of legislation is going on the statute books.

Assemblyman Mead says that the legislation proposed in the Governor's call and enacted at this extra session, is almost entirely composed of propositions which the Chief Executive, for reasons best known to himself, turned down at the close of the last session. There seems to be an opinion prevailing among the members of both parties, outside of the Burns sympathizers, that Gov Gage has not scored any great personal triumph in the achievements of the Legislature at this extra session.

C. E. WASHBURN.

EXTRA SESSION'S WORK.

DIVERS OPINIONS ABOUT IT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9—The Assembly this morning adopted the Senate resolution calling for adjournment at noon tomorrow. The extraordinary session will thus soon be a matter of history, and the members are taking time in their hurry to bring it to a close, to discuss the merits of the work accomplished. There is a wide difference of opinion. Assemblyman Dibble, one of those Republicans who supported Col. Burns and was one of the few who endeavored to secure the passage of the Governor's measures granting the executive extraordinary powers, when asked his opinion on the subject, said:

"Of the seven subjects of legislation included in the proclamation of the Governor convening the Legislature, four have been covered. All of the bills relating to the harbor of San Francisco were passed. It is claimed that these bills will enable the State Harbor Commission to practically make San Francisco a free port. The two bills relative to the river improvements were passed without objection. The bill repealing the wide-tire law, which had become so obnoxious to all parts of the State, was repealed. The bill in regard to the location of mining claims, which had proved disastrous, was also repealed. Of the recommendations in regard to the State hospitals, or the Lunacy Commission, the one which provided for the reduction of the salaries and equalizations of expenses, was passed. The measures that failed were those in regard to giving the power to the Governor to remove, but it is said that the bill amending the lunacy law, which was passed, will enable the Governor to correct the abuses he had in mind when he recommended the law to be passed, with reference to allowing him to make removals. The expenses of the extra session will not exceed $30-000. This will amount to no more than 2 cents, or one postage stamp, for each inhabitant of the State, or as it relates to the matter of taxation, will not increase the rate more than one-quarter of 1 cent on each $10,000 of valuation. In addition to all this there has been elected a United States Senator, which was demanded on all hands throughout the whole State, so that, on the whole, this extra session has been preeminently successful."

Senator Davis, one of those of the Republican majority, who opposed the election of Col. Burns to the Federal Senate, and who later took an active part in securing the defeat of measures introduced at the suggestion of Gov. Gage, said, in reply to the question as to what the Legislature has done:

"The programme on the election of United States Senator was smashed to flinders, and a man without a string on him from any quarter has been elected Senator. This result has infused new life into the Republican party, and set the pace for the coming campaign. All of the arbitrary power-of-removal legislation asked for by the Governor has been beaten, forced to be withdrawn in the Assembly, and smothered to death in the Senate, after the lightning stroke of Senator Rowell's motion to strike out the enacting clause of the hospital bill. The flagrant abuses arising out of section 19 of the Lunacy Bill of 1897, making certain officials practically hold for life, under a late decision of the Supreme Court, has been corrected by the repeal of that section, and the Governor is thereby given the power in a legitimate way, to correct the evils that had arisen under that section. Certain other legislation, including that for the benefit of San Francisco Harbor, was passed without objection. The chief object of the session, the election of a second United States Senator, was conducted on a plan so high and was so successful in the outcome, that the people will cheerfully pay the $30,000 that the session has cost. The splendid record of this extra session is a complete reversal of all former extra-session experiences in this State."

In reply to the same question as was put to Senator Davis, Assemblyman J. B. Sanford, one of the leaders of the minority, said:

"The extra session of the Legislature has been of little benefit to the people of the State. Absolutely nothing of importance has been accomplished—surely not enough to justify for the expense entailed. Most of the matters that the Governor desired legislation upon failed of passage, showing plainly that the members thought the session entirely uncalled for. Two of the bills touched upon in the Governor's proclamation, were passed by the last Legislature, and were vetoed by him, showing that he then thought them of little consequence. Almost all of the other bills suggested were beaten outright, or so amended as to render them unrecognizable. Of course, the people know that the real object of the extra session was the election of a United States Senator. This was finally accomplished, it is true, but when we consider that our Senator-elect has only a few months to serve before the adjournment of Congress, and that his election has cost the people $30,000, I am inclined to think that they will conclude that they have paid dearly for their whistle."

ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS.

ALL PATRONAGE BILLS KILLED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—In the Assembly this morning that batch of bills, known as the Governor's patronage bills, which have caused so much heated discussion during the last few days, were killed at one stroke. Belshaw moved that they be re-referred to the several committees, and his motion carried almost unanimously. As adjournment will be taken at noon tomorrow the bills in question will never be heard of again in legislative halls.

The Senate resolution to adjourn at noon tomorrow was called up out of order and adopted without opposition. The members are in a hurry to get home, and show an inclination to rush through the little business remaining before them. Belshaw introduced a resolution to the effect that no bills be considered in the Assembly after 12:30 o'clock today. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Melick moved that his notice to reconsider the bill by which the wide-tire law was repealed be laid on the table. The motion was carried, being the last act, so far as the Legislature is concerned, in the removal of the wide-tire law from the statutes.

Assembly joint resolution No. 4, was adopted. The resolution instructs the State's representatives in Congress to use their best efforts to secure the appropriation recommended by the California Debris Commission for debris dams and restraining works in the State.

Senate constitutional amendment No. 3, authorizing municipal charters to be voted for at general elections and permitting their amendment by a majority instead of a three-fifths vote, was adopted.

Assembly Bill No. 2, authorizing the Governor to withdraw State lands from sale, was taken up, and Belshaw moved that it be re-referred to the committee, which meant its death. Dibble and Johnson protested that this

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NATION'S HERO

LAID TO REST.

Home-coming of Lawton Now Complete.

Chaplet of Cypress on the Brow That Wore the Laurel.

Sorrow of the Whole American People Expressed.

Body of the Distinguished Soldier Buried in Arlington Cemetery—Impressive Ceremonials—Dr. Stryker's Eloquent Eulogium.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Maj.-Gen. Henry W. Lawton was buried today in the National Cemetery at Arlington. It was a nation's tribute to a national hero, and the sorrow of a whole people were expressed when America added the chaplet of cypress to the brow that so long had worn the laurel.

The burial service beneath the leafless trees at Arlington was preceded by services in the Church of the Covenant on Connecticut avenue, at which every officer of the army and navy within reach of Washington, Lawton's old comrades of the line and staff, the Diplomatic Corps in all its brilliance of uniform and decoration, were present, and as many citizens of all degrees as were fortunate enough to find standing room within the walls.

But the crowd within was insignificant compared with the thousands who braved the lowering winter day for a glimpse of the flag-draped caisson with its mile escort, as it passed through the streets. Hundreds more made the toilsome pilgrimage to Arlington to hear the last words pronounced above the open grave, where the President, his Cabinet, and the general commanding the army, stood with bowed heads until the last volley had been fired and the bugle sounded taps. It was the home-coming of a hero.

For seven weeks, ever since the fatal news from San Mateo had been flashed around the width of the world, the country had waited to pay its best tribute to the dead. Lawton, to the great bulk of Americans, had been the incarnation of the American soldier. He had made his mark in the civil war from the Mississippi to the sea, and in the interval of potential peace it was he who had beaten at his own game Geronimo, the greatest master of desert craft and mountain fighting that the West had ever known, and who, in the new problems of a tropic war, had proved the most daring and resourceful of all the generals in the field. It was in tribute to these qualities that the Lawton fund had in a few weeks been swelled past all the expectations of its originators, for America knew that Lawton, being a soldier, first and only, had left to those who loved him no heritage save his sword and a spotless name.

For a day and night the body of the soldier lay in state in the Church of the Covenant. So it lay this morning when the doors were opened, troopers from his old command, with sabers drawn, keeping vigil at head and foot. Beneath the soft lights of the altar rose a tropical jungle of palms, and higher than the flag-draped coffin rose banks of flowers, tributes from every quarter of the land. At his head hung in dim folds the dingy battleflag from San Mateo, still on its bamboo staff and supported by one of the men who was near him when he fell. From the ceiling hung the red-centered flag of the Eighth Army Corps, under which he had won perpetual fame in two islands wars. About him as the shrill pipes of the organ trembled with the opening anthem stood grouped his superiors, and his brother officers, with whom and for whom his life work had been done. Close to the coffin sat President McKinley and on his right the Secretary of State. With them were the Secretary of War, the Attorney-General, the Secretary of the Navy, the Postmaster-General, the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture. Close by were Mrs. Lawton and little Manley and others of the family, and to the left Gen. Miles, Gen. Merritt, Gen. Brooke, Gen. Shafter and their staff officers, all in uniform, and all Lawton's comrades who at one time or another had camped and fought with him. In the body of the church was a scarcely less notable gathering, assistant secretaries and heads of bureaus, the military committees of the House and Senate, diplomats, the Orientals in their flowing robes, of somber color, and the Europeans resplendent in decorations, among them the Spanish Minister. There were delegations from the Royal Legion, the Grand Army and other patriotic societies.

Chaplain Pierce of Lawton's old command, read the Presbyterian burial service, that Epistle to the Corinthians whose words of comfort seem freshly pruned for each occasion of bereavement. Then President Stryker of Hamilton College, New York, clad in his divinity robes, rose to deliver the oration. He had been selected personally by the Secretary of War, who knew his fitness for the task. The choice was amply justified. Seldom has any ceremony called forth a tribute more scholarly and eloquent, more simple and direct and more appropriate and fitting to the occasion.

Dr. Stryker said, in part:

"Over the width of the earth, a soldier's household has brought its warrior home. The dust that the nation gathers to its guarding is that of no common matter. We are met to celebrate and mourn him. But while we recall the record so compact with manliness, and which the white blossom of modesty crowns withal, while we recite the story of one who personified the best American traditions, first this day do we regard her sorrow who treadts that 'solemn aisle of pain,' the sanctity of whose shadows aer accessible only to her God.

"Hitherto we have come—the people's chosen head, and all authorities else from their high several sessions—to pay our poor but tender alms of love to an unblemished memory; to thank him, who is our dwelling place in all generations, that the stout tree of liberty still yields such manner of fruitage, and to pledge ourselves, considering the issue of lives of our renowned dead, to imitate their unblemished and unblighted faith.

"Station is secondary, humanity is primary. And, whatever else any is, today we are only men and women, brothers and sisters, lifting up children our wet faces toward the consolations of God. The stars of the spangled flag, covering now this shape of its noble warden, shine multiplied upon the dews of grief. But with a solemn joy, it beseems you, fits comrades of the army to give thanks for the life whose end must (after this parenthesis of difficult farewell,) be viewed, not as a calamity, but as the conquest.

"'Men unapt to weep' are smitten by the pathos of that courage we commemorate—courage, most touching of all human graces—but let them also smile with exalted hope as they lay upon this soldier's sepulchre, the chapels of their homage."

Dr. Stryker eulogized Gen. Lawton's military career and went on to say:

"This better Plantaganet, this latest Bayard 'without fear and without reproach,' this modern Philip Sidney, whose life was also 'poetry put into action,' has shown once more of what stuff is incorrigible manhood—in what substance root the memories that last.

"For a true poet (and so proven) is one who has written at least some things of which no poet that ever lived can have been ashamed would gladly have owned, and a true man is admitted to the fellowship of heroes by the equality and peerage of his supreme deeds. Here was one whom Frederic Gustavus Adolphus, William of Orange Winklereid, Cambronne, Garabaldi would know at sight. He was of that time-enduring breed which has made Agincourt and Naseby and Quebec and Lucknow of immortal story. He was comrade to the Marylander who guarded the retreat at Long Island, to the man who passed the Delaware, who served the guns of Pleasanton, who soaked the sod of the Peach Orchard who ran singing through the tide at Manila, who held Guantanamo. Let it be said and let it be said here, that none of us is of those who walk backward into the future and translate the present upside down.

"A timid, carping pessimist lives only in the pluperfect, but good lives in the future perfect. The one is subjunctive; the other is indicative.

"Nay, duty is in the imperative and unconditional mood. Whel in the name of mankind, and that peace might be real, we undertook in 1898 to cleanse the seas, we affirmed a principle and

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The News in Today's Times.

The City—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 16.

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Southern California—Page 15.

New outcroppings in the Pasadena political campaign....Trial for begging by a jury of three at Santa Monica. Bad charge against a Monrovia colored boy....Santa Ana's sewer system looked upon as a white elephant....Coronado man lost all he had....Successful frost-fighting experiment at Riverside....New Congregational Church at Riverside....Trophy for sportsmen at Santa Barbara....Ventura to tender a reception to Senator-elect Bard. Rain-making experiments in San Diego county.

General Eastern—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Gen. Lawton laid to rest in Arlington Cemetery....Exciting night session of the lower house of Congress....Senate proceedings .... Probability that Hay-Pauncefote treaty will be ratified. Dewey denies that he ever promised independence to Aguinaldo....Molineux trial closing....Lone robber shot dead in Chicago....Prof. McGiffert to fight heresy charges....Admiral Dewey and wife dined in Brooklyn....Aguinaldo believed to have escaped from Luzon.

By Cable—Pages 1, 2, 3, 4.

Very dubious outlook for British in South Africa—Buller's forward movement apparently checked — Roberts's movements still a secret—Buller's position very difficult—Reported repulse of sortie of British armored train near Colenso—Gen. MacDonald forced to retreat from Koodoos Drift—Col. Plumer repulsed at Remonsta.

[BOER WAR.]

VERY DUBIOUS

OUTLOOK.

Disquieting News from South Africa.

Buller's Move Upon Ladysmith Apparently Checked.

Rumored Retreat of His Army Across the Tugela.

Gen. Roberts's Movements Still an Inscrutable Mystery.

MacDonald Compelled to Retreat from Koodoosberg Drift—British Sortie from Chieveley Toward Colenso Ends in Defeat.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch. Copyright, 1900, by the New York Tribune.] The most startling announcement last evening was Reuter's dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, with a brief statement from the Boer camp outside Ladysmith, that the British forces had retired Thursday across the Tugela, after abandoning their positions. The War Office at midnight neither confirmed nor contradicted this report, but left it an open question whether Buller's third attempt to break through the Dutch line of defense had failed and the coils around Ladysmith been tightened. The newspaper offices until midnight were without special dispatches from Natal, but were expecting them before going to press. There were no tidings in Parliament where debate on the address was going on at a late hour.

OMINOUS SILENCE.

The silence from Spearman's Camp since Wednesday seemed to corroborate this Boer telegram, yet it was hardly creditable that the War Office would hold back news of a retreat after Pretoria had announced it. One explanation, based on semi-official information, was that the Boer report might refer to the withdrawal of a portion of the force at Frgrieter's, or to changes in the brigades occupying the kopjes between Spionkop and Doornberg. This was not satisfactory to those who had learned to place confidence in Reuter's dispatches from Lorenzo Marquez. These have usually been remarkably accurate. There was an ominous lack of news from Natal, and the War Office failed either to explain what was going on or to relieve public uneasiness.

WHERE IS ROBERTS?

Roberts's campaign remains an inscrutable mystery. He has gone to the front with Kitchener and foreign military attachés have started from Cape Town to join him there, but nobody outside the innermost circles of the War Office knows where the front is. Extraordinary pains have been taken by the censor to conceal Roberts's destination, and the only message given out from him for several days omits mention of the place from which it was sent, for that would supply a clew to the direction of his main movement.

The distribution of reinforcements amounting to over 20,000 men has been artfully concealed, so that the new concentrations are unknown.

THEORETICAL CAMPAIGNS.

The theories of military writers for the press respecting Roberts's campaign are based upon the slenderest possible inferences. Kelly-Kenny was reported a fortnight ago to be at Rosmeade, and from that rumor it has been generally assumed that the Sixth Division would coöperate with Gatacre and French in clearing the Orange River district and opening the way for the invasion of the Free State on the lines of Buller's original plan. Tucker has also been reported at Modder River and that has been the basis for another theory that the Seventh Division would follow him; that Kimberley would be relieved and that the army would march across the country to Bloemfontein with mule and ox transport from Modder River. The third theory has assumed that the Free State would be invaded from Orange River bridge to Belmont, Fauresmith and Springfontein being immediate objective points, and cutting of the communications of the Dutch forces now south of the river being a strategic advantage. This, like numerous other theories, is entirely conjectural, without a single fact upon which it can be based.

The censorship has been so scientific that Roberts's plan of campaign cannot be inferred from anything that has come over the wires. It is because the most intelligent observers here are reduced to blind guesswork that important minor movements are exaggerated and unexpected results are treated as though they were serious reverses.

MACDONALD'S RETIREMENT.

Gen. MacDonald's retirement from Koodoosberg Drift was reported by Reuter and announced with glaring headlines in yesterday afternoon's journals, and Methuen's orders were commented upon as inexplicable. This was because it had been assumed that a turning movement in the direction of Kimberley had been attempted and then abandoned, whereas a similar reconnoissance was made when Pilcher led a flying column to Sunnyside and Douglas, and there was a strong proba-

bility that these tactics had been repeated. This view was confirmed by Roberts's dispatch, posted at the War Office yesterday, stating that Broadwood had taken a force of infantry, cavalry and artillery to Sunnyside, and that the enemy had retired. This movement, like the previous dash westward from Belmont, was undertaken to secure the railway against raiding, and it was supported by a reconnoissance from Modder River to Koodoosberg Drift. MacDonald's men had some lively skirmishing, and Babington, with his cavalry, was sent out to support them, but the casualties were only fifty, and the whole affair simply a reconnoissance to prevent interference with the movement of the troops to Sunnyside.

Roberts did not mention MacDonald's retirement, but reported that Babington had cooperated with him, and that the enemy had evacuated the position at Koodoosberg. Roberts briefly referred to an unsuccessful attack upon Colmore's outposts, and stated that there was no fresh news from Colesberg.

The War Office carefully withholds information respecting Roberts's headquarters.

NOT PRESSING AHEAD.

BULLER'S ADVANCE CHECKED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 9. — [By Atlantic Cable.] Mr. Balfour, the government leader, replying to a question in the House of Commons this evening as to whether any information had been received from the seat of war, said:

"Our information points to the fact that Gen. Buller is not pressing an advance from the position he has occupied. We don't consider it right to press him for details of the operations which are in progress, nor if he gives such information, do we deem it proper to make this public until such operations are completed. The government has no information as to whether Gen. MacDonald has retired."

BULLER FAILS AGAIN TO CARRY HIS POINT.

LONDON ACCEPTS STATEMENT OF THE BOERS AS TRUE.

Winston Churchill Says Vaal Krans Was Impracticable for Guns Needed to Support a Further Advance—Cannonade Brought Only Hope to Ladysmith—MacDonald's Retirement.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 10, 4:20 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] London accepts as true the Boer statement that Gen. Buller has failed again. The statements were passed by the British censor at Aden and are read in the light of Mr. Balfour's announcement in the House of Commons that Gen. Buller is not pressing his advance. Winston Churchill wires that Vaal Krans was impracticable for the guns which were needed to support a further advance. His cablegram leaves Gen. Buller on Tuesday night with a fresh brigade to relieve the tired holders of Vaal Krans.

The descriptive writers with Gen. Buller were allowed a rather free hand again in explaining the ugly position which the British held and the natural obstacles which had to be overcome. So it is easy to infer that with Boer riflemen and artillery defending them, these hills, ravines and jungles have not been overcome, and thus the public is prepared in advance for bad news.

Heliograms from Ladysmith, dated Monday, describe the effect Gen. Buller's cannonade had on the worn garrison. Hope ran high that the long period of inactivity and tedium was drawing to a close. The roar of guns was almost continuous for ten hours, and at times it seemed as if as many as twenty shells burst in a minute. The Boers preparing always for the possibility of defeat, were driving herds and sending long wagon trains toward the Drakensburg passes. Intense darkness and silence followed, broken only by frogs croaking and the occasional blaze of star shells, surrounding the town with a circle of light to prevent the unobserved approach of the enemy. A series of British mines, laid for the Boers, exploded accidentally, shaking and alarming the city and camp.

Gen. MacDonald's retirement puzzles the military commentators. The theory that finds acceptance is that it was ordered by Lord Roberts and that both Gen. Buller's and Gen. MacDonald's operations were by the direction of the commander-in-chief, in order to occupy the Boers at widely separate points, so they would be unable to transfer any portion of their forces to oppose the projected central advance.

Charles Williams, a military writer, who is understood to be in confidential relations with Lord Wolseley, says that beyond doubt the most authoritative opinion in London regard it as probable that an endeavor will be made to force the line of the Orange River before Wednesday next, possibly by Monday.

Henry W. Lucy says the health of Sir Alfred Milner, Governor of Cape Colony, is suffering from the prolonged strain and his friends fear he will break down.

Lord Salisbury's son, Lord Edward Cecil, is responsible for Mafeking being so well provisioned. At the outbreak of the war he learned the amount of army stores about to be sent to Mafeking, and on his own initiative pledged his private means and had the stores quadrupled. He is now in Mafeking and one of its boldest defenders.

A dispatch to the Times from Koodoesberg, dated Thursday, February 8, says: "It is reported that Boer reinforcements are arriving from Magersfontein. Our position is easily tenable, but the entire force has been ordered to return to Modder River tomorrow."

The Times has the following from Kimberley, dated February 8: "The Boer big guns shelled us all day yesterday, but nobody was killed."

The correspondent of the Times at Lorenzo Marquez, under date of February 8, says: "Recent visitors to Inhambane report that the Portuguese customs authorities there seized a quantity of arms and ammunition consigned under a false description."

The first Lord of the Admiralty, George J. Goschen, is preparing estimates for a large increase in the navy. It is thought probably that Parliament will be asked for £20,000,000 for new ships.

The War Office has reduced the minimum standard of height—this time to 5 feet 3 inches for infantry and 5 feet 2 inches for artillery.

Dr. Leyds has issued in Brussels a statement for publication in England denying purported interviews, in which he is reported as predicting the intervention of the powers in the event that the British invade the Free State. He says he is convinced that the war will continue as long as the two republics have arms and ammunition. If the Mauser cartridges give out, the Boers, he asserts, will fall back upon Martini-Henri rifles, for which they have a supply of ammunition that is practically inexhaustible.

A special dispatch from Spearman's Camp, dated yesterday (Friday) noon, says that owing to the Boer crossfire and the impossibility of intrenching Vaal Krantz, Gen. Buller's force withdrew. The Financial News, which publishes this dispatch, suggests that Gen. Buller has not actually recrossed the Tugela.

COMPLETE FAILURE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LEIPSIC, Feb. 9.—The Neueste Nachrichten prints a special dispatch from a correspondent, who claims that Buller's third attempt to relieve Ladysmith has completely failed.

BULLER'S DOINGS STILL WRAPPED IN MYSTERY.

HIS POSITION REPORTED TO BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT.

Impossible for Him to Advance Without Being Heavily Reinforced With Artillery—Sortie of British Armored Train from Chieveley Repulsed Near Colenso by the Boers.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 9, 2:35 p.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] There is still no news of Gen. Buller's doings today or yesterday. A dispatch dated Frere Camp, Thursday, February 8, but probably written with the advanced lines of Wednesday, February 7, and sent to Frere by runner, says:

"The forces of the enemy are on both our flanks and continue to render our position extremely difficult to maintain."

Beyond the fact that Gen. Buller devoted Wednesday to bringing more artillery and troops across the Tugela, nothing is known of his movements, but that he badly needed reinforcements is evident from the foregoing dispatch from Frere. It is still more patent that it is impossible for him to advance until the artillery has been enabled to take up forward positions for the purpose of subduing the Boer guns on both flanks.

Upon the length of time occupied in this operation depends the duration of Gen. Buller's maintenance of the defensive. It is reasonable to suppose that the guns and relief reinforcements were in position yesterday and that the important advance is now progressing, or at least that the bombardment preliminary to the actual movement of the troops is in progress. In the meanwhile, news is awaited with great eagerness, not unmixed with anxiety. Almost all the critics now point out that the mere pushing through to Ladysmith without securing a decisive victory on the way there, would only add danger to what is already a critical situation.

Another Frere Camp dispatch says a Boer prisoner asserts that the Boers expected Gen. Buller to cross at Skiets Drift, and that thousands of Boers were being posted at Doorn Kloof to oppose such a project, while on the captured hill there were only a few hundred Johannesburghers. This tends to increase the anxiety of those who believe that Gen. Buller has scarcely begun the serious part of his advance, though encouragement is gleaned from the news that the heavy naval guns, after repeated attempts, during which the mules rolled down the hill, have succeeded in reaching the summit of Zwarts Kop, whence they are doing excellent practice.

Gen. Hector MacDonald's retirement from Koods Dorp has created disappointment, but the operation was apparently only intended as a sortie and its success or failure could scarcely have resulted in any material effect on the campaign. In the daily rumors it was added last night that Lord Rothschild had positive information to that effect and that he had communicated it to various members of the House of Lords during yesterday's session. Lord Rothschild today said he had no news of the nature mentioned and that he did not go to the House of Lords yesterday.

A rumor that Ladysmith had been relieved is again current today, but the War Office authorities say they have no confirmation of the report.

Military attachés will leave Cape Town tomorrow. Their destination is not given, but presumably they will join Lord Roberts, whose whereabouts has not yet been made public.

It was said today that one of the first steps to increase the home army will be the raising of thirty-seven new horse and field batteries with barracks on Salisbury Plain, and the addition of third battalions to numerous regiments which at present are without them.

A Parliamentary paper issued this afternoon estimates that £13,000,000 ($65,000,000) additional will be required for the war expenses for the year ending March 31.

BRITISH SORTIE REPULSED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HEAD LAAGER (Ladysmith,) Feb. 7.—An armored train yesterday made a sortie from Chieveley toward Colenso and landed 2000 British troops on the right of the Boer position. The Boers immediately crossed the river and made an attack with rifles and artillery, forcing the withdrawal of both the train and the troops to Chieveley.

The fighting on the Upper Tugela River lasted until 8:30 yesterday (Tuesday) evening. Particulars are lacking. Firing at Colenso and along the Upper Tugela has been proceeding since 5 o'clock this morning.

—NO NEWS OF RETREAT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 9, 6:40 p.m.—Up to the present time the War Office has evidently heard nothing of Gen. Buller's retreat, as described in the dispatch from the Boer head laager, Ladysmith, February 8. When shown the Boer dispatch the officials appeared dumbfounded. Apparently they had not the least suspicion of the possibility of such an outcome of the operations.

It is said on reliable authority that Gen. Buller's dispatch announcing Monday's and Tuesday's movements were particularly hopeful. He described the position gained as effective, so the news of another retirement is exceedingly bitter to the British, and though it comes from Boer sources, there is little disposition to discredit it.

The news spread rapidly, and naturally disappointment was visible on all sides, although the long silence from the Upper Tugela had already aroused apprehension that Gen. Buller might have found it impossible to go forward, in which case he would have no option but to recross the river.

BATTLE JUST BEGUN.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The London newspapers fully realize that Gen. Buller's fight to rescue Ladysmith has only begun, that he is not much better off than he was when he captured Spionkop, and that there will be further long lists of dead and wounded, whether Gen. Buller fails or succeeds. Nothing has been published as to Buller's movements on Thursday. If he was able to hold his ground at Vaal Krantz and bring up more troops and artillery, the critics will be satisfied. It is not known in London how important Vaal Krantz is, but it is pretty well understood that the Boers intend to fight every inch of the way. There is no strategy involved in Gen. Buller's movement. He is hammering his way through the Boers by means of artillery. He is moving straight toward Ladysmith and seeking to split Joubert's army.

BRITISH HOODOO WAS AT KOODOOSBERG DRIFT

BOERS FORCED GEN. MACDONALD TO BEAT A RETREAT.

Reinforcements Failed to Arrive in Time and Lord Methuen Ordered the Combined Force to Fall Back to Modder River—News of the Defeat Caused Excitement in London.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

KOODOOSBERG DRIFT, Feb. 8.—[By South African Cable.] The Boers yesterday made a determined attempt to drive the British from a hill commanding the drift. Mounting two seven-pounders at the northern extremity, they shelled the position the whole day. The Seaforth Highlanders gained a position on the rocky summit and kept up a sustained rifle fire, but suffered somewhat from the Boer shelling. A battery was sent and succeeded in silencing the Boer fire. Meanwhile two companies of the Argyll Highlanders advanced along the plain in a westerly direction and found the Boers intrenched at a small drift. A sharp engagement followed, lasting the whole day. Gen. MacDonald now only required sufficient troops in order to completely surround the Boers.

In order to completely surround the Boers, Gen. Babington was dispatched from the Modder River with a large force of cavalry and two batteries of Horse Artillery, but failed to reach here, although he started early enough in the day to enable him to get here early this afternoon. This morning Gen. Methuen ordered that the combined force should retire upon the Modder River, which movement is now proceeding.

The British losses in the fighting on Wednesday were fifty killed or wounded.

LONDON EXCITED.

OVER MACDONALD'S DEFEAT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The dispatch from Koodoosberg Drift does not say whether Gen. Babington finally joined Gen. MacDonald, but the word "combined" seems to indicate that he did so.

The news caused considerable excitement in the House of Commons where the government leader, Mr. Balfour, had just announced that there was no news from South Africa.

A War Office dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Thursday, February 8, confirms the reports that Gen. Gatacre has repulsed the Boers at Benhoeck and Byrd River and that the security of both outposts is established.

In regard to Gen. MacDonald's operations, Lord Roberts does not mention the former's retirement to the Modder River. He says:

"MacDonald was dispatched to prevent the Boers from blocking the main drift at Koodoosberg, and he established himself at Koodoosberg in spite of the determined efforts of the Boers to dislodge him. At MacDonald's request Babington was sent with reinforcements Wednesday, February 7. Babington threatened the Boers north of Koodoosberg, while another force drove off the Boers southward."

The dispatch concludes with the statement:

"The enemy has now evacuated their position and none of them are now in sight."

LATE WAR BULLETINS.

THE THUNDERER'S COMMENT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Times, dealing with the military situation, says: "If Gen. Buller has failed, it seems unlikely that another attempt will be made. The terrible initial strategic mistake of abandoning the principal objective for a subsidiary operation, still overweights the campaign, but the time approaches when its baneful influence will cease to fetter our nation. The great issues of the war will not be decided in Natal."

Gen. MacDonald's retirement, the Times considers "inexplicable."

WILL RENEW THE ATTACK.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Modder River, dated Thursday, says that Gen. MacDonald's and Gen. Babington's force will return shortly, and adds that the initiative to the reconnoissance emanated from headquarters.

REPORT CONTRADICTED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Colonial Office has received a dispatch contradicting the report that the Boers had shot Messrs. John McLachlan, Jr., and Robbins at Harrismith for refusing to be commandeered.

GEN. CLERY INVALIDED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON Feb. 10.—The Daily Telegraph announces that Gen. Sir Francis Clery is on the way to England, invalided.

BRITISH BARK SEIZED,

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DURBAN, Feb. 9.—The British bark Birkdale, with contraband, has been seized by the British.

PLUMER REPULSED.

BOER VICTORY AT RAMONSTA.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

PRETORIA, Monday, Feb. 5.—Col. Plumer's force, on February 2, attacked the Boer position near Ramonsta, and after heavy fighting in an endeavor to take the place by storm, the British were repulsed. Their loss is unknown. No Boers were injured.

CANADIAN KICKER.

OPPOSED TO HELPING ENGLAND.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

MONTREAL, Feb. 9.—Hon. Joseph Israel Parte, Minister of Public Works, is strongly opposed to the sending of any more Canadians to South Africa. Referring to a proposal to send out 10,000 men, his paper, La Patrie, says:

"The country has already spent nearly $2,000,000 to send two contingents to Africa. These figures show what war is and what will be our responsibility if we are to take part in all the conflicts of Europe instead of developing our resources and improving our country."

Hay Has His Exequatur.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Secretary Hay today received a cablegram from Adelbert S. Hay, United States Consul at Pretoria, stating that he had received his exequatur Wednesday and that matters were very satisfactory.

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made a precedent that I, for one, hold to have written the most honorable leaf in all our history. But all that has been since was corollary to that. No special pleading of professional malcontents with whom wisdom will not die, no apriori abstraction can unsay what this dead soldier's seal did for America. Rather does such a death enjoin upon our purpose and performance of such ends shall vindicate us from cowardly indifferentism and evasion in the face of whatever duty and, however unexpected or complex, enjoin us to regard and to teach liberty's authority.

"In some good day—not far away, please God—when those islands, foundlings no longer, shall have been rendered as a majestic deodand to civilization, to regulate freedom and to the God of these, there in fair Luzon, right where he fell, front to his duty, let the valiant frame of this true liberator rise in immutable bronze, while, understanding us at last, our brown brothers, gazing upon that statue, stature, statute, all in one, shall say 'He was American, but he is ours' too, Lawton. He was slain by us ignorantly in unbelief; but he has forgiven.'"

A dozen troopers, as the doctor closed, lifted the flower-laden coffin and bore it to the door, where 2000 soldiers, and citizens in greater numbers, waited to honor the soldier in his last march to his final resting place on the Virginia hillside beyond the Potomac. With a clatter of iron hoofs, the cavalry escort cantered forward to form the guard of honor. Orders flung from rank to rank down the broad avenue brought troop and platoon wheeling into line.

The escort consisted of a squadron of the Third Cavalry, Light Battery M of the Seventh Artillery; Siege Battery C of the Seventh, a brigade of dismounted artillery, two battalions of the Fifteenth Infantry, and one of the Second, three battalions from the Fourth and Fifth Artillery and a battalion of United States marines.

The whole was under command of Gen. Wesley Merritt, Maj. John A. Johnston, chief of staff, and the following mounts of officers: Special aides, Brig.-Gen. Alfred E. Bates, Col. John F. Weston, Col. Theodore A. Bingham, Lieut. Henry G. Sharp, Capt. Joseph E. Kuhn, Lieut. T. Bentley Motley. Aides: Lieut.-Col. William H. Carter, Lieut.-Col. Culver C. Sniffen, Maj. William A. Simpson, Maj. Charles L. McCawley, United States Marine Corps; Maj. Harvey C. Carbaugh, Capt. Charles G. Treat, Capt. George O. Squire.

With crepe-shrouded colors lowered they filed past—scarlet-caped artillerymen, cavalry with their orange plumes and facings, and the ranks of blue-clad infantry, moving with machine-like cadence. At the rear with rumble of heavy wheels and clash of trace chains, came the guns, field batteries and siege trains.

Ahead of the scores of the carriages was the flag-draped, flower-laden caisson, the ideal soldier's bier, and behind it was led the officer's charger in a shroud of black, with the boots reversed in the stirrups, a picturesque remnant of superstition in this materialistic age of machine guns and smokeless powder.

It was a dreary wait in the cold, wind-swept slopes of Arlington for the hundreds who had made the pilgrimage early in the day. But close on sunset the boom of the Sylph's gun on the Potomac was answered by the crash of minute-guns from Fort Meyer, and then the solemn notes of the dirge was borne on the wind as the procession moved through the winding avenues of the great city of the dead.

The grave was in the open space just south of the amphitheater, and in sight of the mansion house. Gen. Merritt and his mounted staff deployed on the south road, while solid ranks of dismounted troopers held back the crowd on every side. Nimble cavalrymen steamed over the caisson, casting loose the lashings, and bore the coffin to the open grave, while the President and the Cabinet, with the gray-haired generals, stood silent and bareheaded as the chaplain pronounced the words that committed that consigned forever the honored dust to dust, whence it came.

Then, in answer to a low command, the firing squad wheeled into line. The snapping volleys of the carbines scarcely echoed among the bare trees, but the wail of the bugle, as it sounded taps, lingered long and sadly in the gray of the winter twilight, and echoed faintly from the distant hills. As it died away, the coffin sank from view. Gen. Lawton's home-coming was accomplished.

[SAMOA.]

NATIVES NOTIFIED OF POWERS' PARTITION PLAN.

NO APPREHENSIONS OF TROUBLE IN TUTUILA.

Capt. Tilley Informs the Chiefs That the United States Intends to Give Them a Good Government and Protect the People—Fighting Between Malietoans and Mataafans.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Samoan advices received by the steamer Alameda today are to the effect that the agreement between the three powers as to the division of the Samoan group had caused but little real trouble, though the Malietoa and Mataafa factions were somewhat discontented, the Matafaans blaming the Malietoans for causing the trouble which brought about this result, and vice versa.

Reports were received in Apia that at Aana and Savaii, the followers of Mataafa, chagrined at the news of division of the islands, resolved that the Malietoan adherents who had returned to their homes, must be driven out of those districts, and a large force of Mataafa men attacked the homes of Malietoans, routing the residents and setting fire to the buildings, later driving them to Saliemoa.

On December 6 Capt. Tilley of the United States navy notified High Chief Faivae of the island of Tutuila, that under the terms of the agreement between the United States, Great Britain and Germany, the Samoan group would be divided between the United States and Germany, and that the islands of Tutuila, Manula, and the other islands east of Upolu, would come under the protection of the United States. Capt. Tilley assured the chiefs, through Faivae, that the United States would protect the natives, and give them a good government, and that it would hold the chiefs responsible for any trouble that might occur.

Capt. Tilley's proclamation was received with quiet and order, and no apprehension is felt that trouble will follow the inauguration of the new régime.

Ships Ashore Near Suislaw Jetty.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—A dispatch was received in this city today from the Suislaw River, stating that the tug Maggie and the schooner Berwick, the latter of this port, were ashore 100 feet north of the Suislaw jetty. The sea was running high and it was not possible to tell how great the damage is to the vessels.

[CHINA.]

WU TING FANG PLEADS FOR FAIR DEALING.

MINISTER DISCUSSES MURDER OF MISSIONARIES.

Says the Orientals Cannot Understand the Policy of the Powers. Outrages Often Made a Pretext for Demands for Territorial Concessions. Pacific Trade Relations Welcomed.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Speaking at the dinner of the Silk Association of America at Delmonico's last night, the Chinese Minister, Wu Ting Fang, said:

"When any disturbance or trouble has occurred in China or elsewhere in the East not only did the government aggrieved demand compensation for the outrage, but beyond them they obtain and demand concessions not pertaining to the matter in hand. In fact, they often make a pretext of a trouble, such as a missionary trouble, to exact advantages and concessions, which may have no reference to the matter in point. In saying this, I do not condemn the missionaries as a class in China. There are a good many pious and noble missionaries in China, and they have been and are still doing good work in every country in the East, but there is a black sheep in every flock, you know.

"So, if a disturbance should occur to them, if a riot should happen what is the consequence? The government will demand justice and not only that, but in addition to that, they obtain something else. That being the case, gentlemen, can you wonder that the Chinese and other Asiatic peoples are at a loss to understand your policy and the policy of the nations in Europe?

"Therefore, if those nations want to solve these Asiatic questions, one of the solutions is to make an open declaration of their policy. But instead of doing that, under the cloak of sending missionaries to preach the gospel, and if anything should happen to the missionaries (which in any nation you cannot help; sometimes my countrymen here have been murdered or assaulted by a low class of people,) what can we do? What can you do? So, if anything should happen in China or Japan of that sort, is it very strange for the rabble to do something without the knowledge of the authorities? All we want is an open declaration of your policy, fairness and justice.

"I am glad to find that it is not the policy of this great republic to depart from your traditional policy and go in for acquisitions, for grabbing, or—I should be more careful in saying this—that you are not going to adopt territorial aggrandizement, but that you are going in for expansion of trade. We don't blame you. In fact, we welcome you. Do you know why? Because in trade it is barter; it is for the benefit of both sides; it is to give and take. We give you the equivalent; you give us something back in return.

"If you go on in this pacific policy of commerce and trade, you will be welcomed everywhere, not only in China, but also in Japan as well. We welcome you. We will do everything to please you, but in return, gentlemen, we want to be treated in like manner."

PHILIP STANFORD'S ESTATE.

WILL BEQUEATHING PROPERTY TO HIS WIFE UPHELD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A decision was rendered by Judge Fort in the Orphans' Court at Newark today, dismissing the ... filed by Asa P. Stanford ... probate of the will of his son, ... Stanford, who died in New York ... 1, 1898, leaving his entire estate, ... $100,000, to his wife, Helen K. ... Appellant is a brother of the ... ator Leland Stanford of California. ... allegation was that the probate ... had been revoked by a subsequent ... which had been lost or stolen. ... Fort, in rendering his decision, ... that it was not enough to show ... there was opportunity for ... must be shown that wrong was done.

Pensions and Postoffices.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—[Special Dispatch.] The postoffice at ... Lake county, was ordered today ... discontinued.

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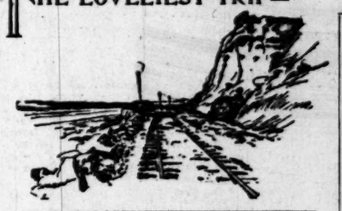

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Mr. Chandler, chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, said if the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. Carter) were in his seat, I would ask that the Pennsylvania Senatorial case be postponed, but I refrained from pressing the matter when I was informed all the time that I was taken up by the Finance Bill, and the Senate is not prepared to go on with the pending bill. I will ask the Senate to proceed with the Quay case."

Several bills of minor importance were passed.

The Senator having indicated his desire to discuss the Financial Bill, the Senate at 1:05 p.m., on motion of Mr. Allen, who said many Senators desired to attend the obsequies of Gen. Lawton, adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Upon the reassembling of the House today it was agreed that when the House adjourn today it be to meet on Monday next.

Mr. Payne then moved that the House take a recess until 8 o'clock today. This motion was opposed by those interested in claims, this being set aside under the rules for the consideration of private bills.

Mr. Sims of Tennessee said it would be unfair to cut out the day session for the consideration of private pension bills.

Mr. Payne of New York said he made the motion because many members desired to attend the funeral of Gen. Lawton this afternoon, and the House would be without a quorum if the regular order were proceeded with. Mr. Bell of California offered a way out of the tangle by moving to adjourn, which the majority favored the resolution on a rising vote, it was defeated, 86 to 150, on roll call.

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Payne, and it prevailed, 107 to 15. Accordingly, at 1:20 p.m., the House recessed until 8 o'clock tonight, the evening session to be devoted to private pension bills.

NELSON'S AMENDMENT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Senator Nelson today introduced an amendment to the Currency Bill, permitting the organization of national banks in towns of four thousand inhabitants and over, with a capitalization of $25,000.

SENATOR DEPEW'S BILL.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Senator Depew introduced today a bill granting to the public land States a percentage of the proceeds of the sales of public lands for the encouragement of the mining interests.

ARGENTINE TREATY.

TIME FOR RATIFICATION ENDS.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

"One of the reciprocity conventions now pending before the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate, will lapse on Saturday of this week. The convention was signed at Buenos Ayres, July 10, 1899, under authority of "an act to provide revenue for the government and to encourage the industries of the United States," approved on July 24, 1897. The first paragraph of article 5 provides that "the ratifications of the present convention shall be exchanged at Buenos Ayres or Washington within seven months from the date hereof, or earlier if possible."

The seven months will expire on Saturday. The convention, together with similar conventions with France and Great Britain in behalf of her colonies of Bermuda, Barbadoes, Jamaica, Guiana, and Turks and Cacaicos Islands, was transmitted to the Senate by President McKinley on December 6, 1899.

RATIFICATION POSTPONED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The fact that the period of time allowed for the ratification of the Argentine reciprocity treaty expires tomorrow will not, in itself, have any effect upon the fate of the convention. It was realized some time ago that even with fair sailing the treaty could not be brought through within the allotted time, and the State Department arranged to meet the difficulty by having the Senate, in the event that it should approve of the treaty, amend the clause providing for the exchange of ratifications by changing the date to some time in the spring. This amendment will necessitate the further action of the Argentine Congress in concurrence, but little difficulty is expected to be encountered in securing that.

CANAL TREATY WILL SURELY BE RATIFIED.

CHANGE OF FRONT BY MANY OF OPPOSING SENATORS.

Necessary Two-thirds Majority Now Said to Be in Sight—Non-Fortification Feature No Longer Considered to Be Objectionable—Sulzer Wants Work to Begin at Once.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

"Unless filibustering tactics are resorted to by the opposition, the ratification of the Hay-Pauncefote isthmian canal treaty is assured. Friends of the administration, who have been canvassing the situation for the last two days, are confident that the necessary two-thirds vote in the Senate will be cast. It is claimed that the eighty votes necessary for ratification have been secured, and that advocates of the measure predict even a larger majority, believing that it will be possible to get the votes of several Senators who are now classified as non-committal, or in opposition to the measure.

"There has been a noticeable change of sentiment in the Senate regarding the non-fortification feature of the treaty, largely due to the fact that the Committee on Foreign Relations is practically certain to bring in a report favoring ratification without any change in this feature, and also to strong pressure which is being brought to bear upon Senators by the administration.

"Senators who were predicting the failure of the treaty, are now declaring it will be ratified. Senator Elkins now says he will vote for the treaty in its present form, and he predicts that it will be ratified. Many Republicans believe the party should show its confidence in the Republican administration by accepting the terms of the treaty as it stands.

"Although by section 7 of article 11 of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, the United States is prohibited from erecting fortifications 'commanding the canal or the waters adjacent,' administration officials hold that this prohibition does not extent to the entire isthmus, as in the Clayton-Bulwer treaty. The United States will therefore be at liberty to select available sites for naval stations on the coasts of the isthmus, not immediately 'adjacent' to the waters of the canal, but within easy reach thereof, at which American warships can make repairs and obtain supplies.

"Establishment of naval stations in the vicinity of the canal may be objected to by Central American governments. Secretary Hay was informed by each of these governments that it was highly gratified at the provision of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty prohibiting the erection of fortifications commanding the canal. Neither government is willing to sell sovereignty over the territory. The difficulty will be gotten over by the lease of territory and the cession of certain rights in the lake to the United States from Nicaragua and Costa Rica.

"With respect to the concession held by the Eyre-Cragin syndicate, it is said that under the terms of the contract the men interested in that enterprise were to form a company, secure the necessary materials and begin work on or before April 1, and that their failure to comply with this provision of their contract will result in the abrogation of their concession."

M. SULZER'S RESOLUTIONS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9. — Representative Sulzer of New York today introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, That in the judgment of the House of Representatives the bill for the construction of the Nicaragua Canal, to be exclusively built, owned and controlled by the government of the United States, should be immediately passed and enacted into law, regardless of the pending Hay-Pauncefote treaty now awaiting ratification in the United States Senate, and that said treaty should be rejected because it contravenes the policy of the Monroe doctrine, surrenders American rights to British interests, and reëstablishes the so-called Clayton-Bulwer treaty, long since lapsed and now null and void."

KINDNESS APPRECIATED.

HONGKONG'S GENEROUS PEOPLE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Secretary Long received a message this morning from Admiral Watson, commanding the Asiatic squadron, dated Hongkong, February 8, saying that the residents of Hongkong have subscribed $1000 for the families of those killed and injured by the explosion on board the Wheeling on the 25th ultimo. Admiral Watson says that all the wounded are doing well.

Secretary Long made the following acknowledgment of Admiral Watson's dispatch:

"Watson, S.S. Brooklyn, Hongkong: Department wishes you to express its high appreciation of the great generosity shown by the residents of Hongkong in providing for the families of the killed and injured of the Wheeling accident.

[Signed] "JOHN D. LONG."

[KENTUCKY.]

WARRANTS OUT FOR ARREST OF DEMOCRATS.

GOV. BECKHAM SAYS THEY CAN NOT BE SERVED.

Republican Legislators at London Bent Upon Forcing a Quorum—Probability That Gov. Taylor Will Sign the Peace Treaty—Suspects Arrested for Killing Goebel.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON (Ky.,) Feb. 10.—Sergeant-at-Arms Cecil of the House and S. C. Howard of the Senate left after 1 o'clock this (Saturday) morning on the north-bound train, armed with warrants for the arrest of absent Democratic members of both houses. Late last evening it was finally decided by the Senate officers to make out the warrants for the arrest of the Democratic Senators without waiting for the arrival of Lieut.-Gov. Marshall, and to send Howard and Cecil, who had already been given his warrants from the House. Where the two were going could not be ascertained here, as no tickets were purchased, and they refused to tell. The significant remark was dropped that something would be heard tomorrow.

MEAN BUSINESS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON (Ky.,) Feb. 9.—The following message from Gov. Taylor was received today by a member of the Legislature:

"Have warrants issued for members of the House and put in the hands of sergeant-at-arms to serve."

The warrants were made out late today and given to Sergeant-at-Arms Cecil of the House.

Lieut.-Gov. Marshall telegraphed he would be here early tomorrow morning.

The effect of the Governor's message was apparent. Senator Cox said: "We mean business. We will have a quorum in the House and a quorum in the Senate. We will be in working order and ready to transact business by Monday. Further than that I have nothing to say."

Late in the afternoon the House warrants were issued.

SITUATION CHANGED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Feb. 9.—Late tonight the situation is somewhat changed. Adjutant-General Collier was again called into Gov. Taylor's office tonight, and was in consultation with him until a late hour, but he will say nothing as to what transpired. From other and authoritative sources, however, it is learned that a decision has finally been reached, and that the peace agreement will probably receive the signature of Gov. Taylor inside of twenty-four hours.

WARRANTS FOR DEMOCRATS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.,) Feb. 9.—The developments of today mark the first step toward carrying out the plans announced Sunday last by the Democrats to set up a State government here. Some commotion was caused among the legislators this morning by tips from London and Frankfort that warrants were about to be sworn out for the arrest of enough Democratic members to make a quorum for the Republican Legislature now meeting at London.

When told of this, Gov. Beckham said: "No member of the Legislature who comes to Louisville should fear arrest. I shall not allow any member of the General Assembly to be arrested."

When asked what measures would be adopted to prevent such arrests, should they be attempted, Gov. Beckham replied that he was fully prepared to protect the Legislature and to arrest any person who interfered with its members. Further than this, he would make no statement. It is known, however, that since the appointment of Gen. Castleman as Adjutant-General, arrangements have been made to provide a defensive force ample for the safety of the Democratic State officers.

The legislative sessions today were held in the Courthouse, the Senate meeting in the chancery courtroom, and the House in the county courtroom. Resolutions from the general assembly of Texas, in memory of Gov. Goebel, were read and an appropriate response was sent. Resolutions on the death of Gov. Goebel were adopted and in respect to his memory adjournment was taken by both houses until tomorrow.

The events of the past ten days have served to solidify the Democratic forces in the Legislature, and to strengthen the party's position there. Among the members who answered to their names today were a number who have been classed as anti-Goebel men and who, on several political issues, have voted with the Republicans.

This has been a day of conferences in Frankfort. They were in full swing from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until late tonight, and outwardly nothing tangible resulted from them.

IMPORTANT EVIDENCE.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Feb. 9.—The authorities expect to obtain important evidence regarding the assassination of Gov. Goebel from Silas Jones, who was arrested this morning. Joges has already made a partial confession. He declares that he personally knows nothing of the crime, but says that Harland Whittaker, who was arrested immediately after the shooting while running from the executive building from which the shots were fired, knows a great deal about the crime. It is believed Jones gave more information than that regarding Whittaker, and that what he told the police may lead to further arrests in the neighborhood of Richmond, Madison county, Ky.

John Gottschalk of Nelson county, who was arrested with Jones, was released from custody tonight.

Miss Emily Howard Crease, sister of Sir Henry Crease of Pentrelew, B. C., was killed at Lytton, B. C., Thursday night. Miss Crease was a passenger on the east-bound express, and had stepped off the train for a moment when the west-bound train came along, passing over her.

[SPORTING RECORD.]

BIG FIGHT IS A "GO."

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE FOR JEFFRIES-CORBETT BOUT.

Sam Austin Selected as the Referee and About All That Remains to Be Agreed Upon is the Date of Meeting.

Heavyweights Will Box Under the Marquis of Queensberry Rules, but Hitting in Clinches Will Be Allowed.

Frank Erne Outpoints "Chicago" Jack Daly—McFadden Beats Murray. Joe Gans Victor Over "Spike" Sullivan.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Arrangements for the meeting at San Francisco between Jim Corbett and Jim Jeffries were practically completed today at a conference between Managers Billy Brady and George Considine and Jim Corbett. Sam Austin, sporting writer, was selected as referee, and it was agreed that straight Queensberry rules should govern, which means that men can hit with a free arm in clinches and at breakaways. The latter agreement seems fair enough, for while Corbett will be quicker and cleverer at close range, Jeffries's weight will also be a factor that will probably equalize matters.

Brady announced that he had received a telegram from Manager Gibbs of the National Club, which said that the rest of the $5000 required as forfeit was on its way here from San Francisco. That was accepted as a final assurance that the club would make good all of its promises, and that the fight would take place as planned.

Corbett asked to be permitted to wear soft bandages. Brady at first thought this was unreasonable, but eventually gave in. Corbett came from Lake Wood today to attend the meeting. He is looking well and said he was in the best of health. Jim will leave for California next Wednesday. He will train at San Rafael.

SPECULATION ON DATES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The selection of Austin as referee is quite satisfactory to the National Club. Brady has agreed to have the date for the fight set for some time after Easter Sunday, and he has asked that it be fixed for Wednesday, April 25. Gibbs preferred Friday, April 20, but he has another proposition under consideration. Brady stated that the pugilists would have no objection to an outdoor fight in the daytime, so it has been suggested that May day be chosen. As it is a legal holiday, the factories and most of the stores, as well as Federal, State and municipal offices, will all be closed. This will enable a large number of people to see the fight that would not be able to do so on a business day. Dewey day may ultimately be selected as the date of the big battle.

The National Club has decided that the fight will be for twenty-five rounds, as articles signed by the two men called for that limit, and it will not be changed.

Brady is expected to arrive here within the next couple of weeks, and, as he will probably secure an interest in the National Club for this fight, he and Manager Gibbs will establish a regular office for the next three months.

The wires are being worked for another heavyweight battle to be pulled off here some time in May. If plans succeed, the opponents will be McCoy and Fitzsimmons, practically the only two crack heavyweights who have never met.

BOUTS IN THE EAST.

ERNE OUTPOINTS JACK DALY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—A decision on points at the end of the sixth round was the best Frank Erne, the lightweight champion, could do with "Chicago" Jack Daly in the fight at the Fort Dearborn Athletic Club tonight.

M'FADDEN BEATS MURRAY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 9.—The return match between George McFadden of New York and Jimmy Murray of Cincinnati tonight was awarded to the former in the middle of the ninth round.

GANS BESTS "SPIKE" SULLIVAN.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Joe Gans, the Baltimore lightweight colored pugilist, gained a well-earned decision over "Spike" Sullivan of Boston in the fourteenth round of a bout at the lightweight limit before the Broadway Athletic Club tonight.

PROTEST TO THE DATE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9. — Some protest has been offered by the religious element in this city against the holding of the Corbett-Jeffries championship fight on April 10, as the day set for the battle comes within Holy Week. An effort will be made to have the managers of the pugilists agree to some other date for the fight.

INVITATION TO CORBETT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN RAFAEL, Feb. 9.—The management of the San Rafael Athletic Club has wired James J. Corbett an invitation to train in this city for his fight with Jeffries. The rooms and gymnasium will be given over to his use, as well as the swimming tanks at McNears Point.

New Orleans Track Events.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—The weather was cloudy and the track heavy. Results:

Six furlongs, selling: Agitator won, Ben Frost second, Tom Kingsley third; time 1:18½.

Six and one-half furlongs: Gratia won, Grace Logan second, Irene Hayes third; time 1:29.

Mile and an eighth: Moncreith won, Teutons second, Rushfields third; time 2:03¾.

Seven furlongs: Compensation won, Strangest second, Tom Collins third; time 1:33.

Six furlongs, selling: Evelyn Byrd won, Water Crest second, Blarney Stone third; time 1:11.

One mile: Elvtheful won, Sorrel Rose second, Roundo third; time 1:50.

J. Walter Kennedy, once a famous sculler, but of late years an actor and teacher of dramatics, is dead of pneumonia at Boston.

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[THE PHILIPPINES.]

WAR IS OVER IN GREATER PART OF LUZON.

CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES IN THE SOUTHERN PROVINCES.

People Perfectly Contended and Engaged in Agricultural Pursuits—Manila Quiet and Prosperous—Aguinaldo Believed to Have Escaped from the Island.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 2, via San Francisco, Feb. 9.—Capt. W. L. Kneedler of the United States hospital ship Missouri, en route to San Francisco from Manila with nearly three hundred sick soldiers, says that he made a tour of Southern Luzon in company with Gen. Young just before leaving Manila.

"The conditions there show a complete cessation of war activities. I found the people perfectly contented and engaged in their agricultural pursuits," said the captain, "and they are very prosperous. Splendid crops are being raised and many cattle, and there were no signs that the Filipinos were not satisfied with the new order of affairs. As far as this whole district is concerned, the trouble seems to be at an end.

"Manila itself is quiet and prosperous. There is absolutely no sign of disturbance there. I was amazed at the amount of work that has been done toward making the place sanitary. The town is in a remarkably clean condition."

AGUINALDO ESCAPED.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—A special to the Chronicle from Washington says:

"The War Department believes that Aguinaldo has escaped from the Island of Luzon. The department officials would not be surprised to hear from him next in London or Paris in company with Agoncillo."

DRINK-CRAZED ATTENDANT.

DRIVES SMALLPOX PATIENTS OUT INTO THE SNOW.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DENVER, Feb. 9.—This evening a nurse from the city smallpox hospital on Sand Creek, about eight miles northeast of the city, came to police headquarters and reported that this afternoon Frank Conkling, an attendant, while crazed with drink, attacked the other attendants with a poker, knocking two of them down. He then proceeded to demolish the furniture. Five patients at the hospital became frightened and fled from the place, clothed only in their bed garments. A posse of officers, who are immune to smallpox, left at once to arrest Conkling and return the patients to the hospital. The ground is covered with snow, and it is feared the exposure will prove fatal to the patients. One of the latter is the wife of Conkling.

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47 dozen 18x18 half bleach napkins, all linen, was 75c; special to close up 47c

38 dozen 22x22 full bleach linen napkins, was $1.25; special 75c

Towels

98 dozen 18x36 cotton huck towels, was 7½c; to clean up on, each 5c

16x32 all linen huck with colored borders, fast selvedge, was 12½c each 7c

20x40 all linen huck, fringed towel, was 20c; each 12½c

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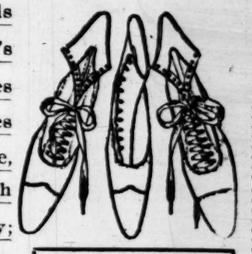

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ABOUT TO FLIT.

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was not fair, and the motion was withdrawn. The measure, after a call of the House, was passed by a vote of 62 to 29.

A resolution was introduced requiring plans to be made for the improvement of the State Capitol building.

The Assembly refused to adopt a joint resolution protesting against the proposed treaty with England relative to the Nicaragua Canal now pending before the Federal Senate.

Assembly joint resolution No. 1, asking Congress to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Federal Constitution, to the end that United States Senators may be elected by direct vote of the people was adopted.

Senate joint resolution No. 2, covering the same grounds, was also adopted.

Favorable action was taken on Senate constitutional amendment No. 1, relative to the Judicial Department of the State government.

Gov. Gage returned to the Assembly, with his approval, Assembly Bill No. 12, appropriating $4500 to pay the printing expenses of the extra session, and Assembly Bill No. 22, appropriating $4000 to pay clerks and other attaches of the Assembly.

Fairweather's constitutional amendment, providing for the framing by the inhabitants of counties of local county government acts, was defeated.

After the noon recess Hoey's Assembly concurrent resolution No. 5, condemning the war being waged in South Africa by England against the Boers, and expressing sympathy for the Transvaal Republic and Orange Free State, was called up, and led to a sharp encounter. The fight was strictly a party affair, the Republicans opposing the resolution and the Democrats supporting it. Brown (Rep.) finally moved that it be re-referred to the Committee on Federal Relations, which meant its death. Assemblyman Hanley thereupon introduced a resolution that the committee be instructed to report immediately. The resolution was voted down. A motion that the committee be instructed to report in fifteen minutes was also lost, and the pro-Boer resolution was consigned to the limbo of committee, the fate of so many bills, resolutions and constitutional amendments which have been considered today.

Knowland's Assembly joint resolution No. 5, relative to the survey of public lands in this State, was adopted.

After considering a large number of resolutions relative to pay of attaches, adjournment was taken until 10:30 a.m. tomorrow.

SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

APPOINTMENTS ARE CONFIRMED.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—In the Senate today Burnett, for the Committee on Executive Communications and Nominations, reported back the list of appointments sent in by the Governor yesterday, recommending that they be confirmed. There was no opposition to any of the appointments until the name of Robert C. Poppe of Sonoma county, appointed a director of the California Home for the Care and Training of Feeble Minded Children, was reached. A warm fight was started against the confirmation of the Senate appointment. It took twenty-one votes to confirm, and after the roll had been called, Poppe had but sixteen votes in his favor. A call of the House was ordered. After a wait of nearly an hour, the necessary twenty-one votes were secured and Poppe's appointment confirmed.

Before the Senate adjourned a message was received from the Governor announcing his appointment of another lot of officials whose appointments must be confirmed by the Senate. They were immediately considered and confirmed. The appointments were:

Franklin Ellery, member of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners for the port of Eureka, instead of H. L. Ricks, whose term expires March 12, 1900.

John G. Murray, member of the Board of State Harbor Commissioners for the port of Eureka, instead of J. R. Brown, whose term of office expires March 16, 1900.

Trustees of the State Normal School at Chico—F. C. Lusk, T. H. Bernard, Frank D. Ryan, Richard Belcher and Clifford Colby.

Trustees of the State Normal School at Los Angeles—R. H. F. Variel, W. H. O'Melveney, John S. Collins, N. P. Conrey, E. J. Lewis.

Trustees of the State Normal School at San José—Frank W. Leavitt, Frank H. Short, George W. Pierce, Dr. H. C. Brown and George Sweigert.

Trustees of the State Normal School at San Diego—Dr. R. M. Power, George Fuller, Z. B. West, W. B. Guy and I. B. Dockweiler.

Trustees of the State Normal School at San Francisco—M. Cooney, S. C. Denson, F. A. Hyde, W. G. Johnson and H. G. W. Dinkelspiel.

W. H. L. Barnes to be a regent of the State University, vice Timothy Guy Phelps, deceased.

Charles H. Spear, to be a member of the Board of Port Wardens of the port of San Francisco, vice H. R. Atwood, term expired.

Henry T. Waite, to be a member of the Board of Port Wardens for the port of San Francisco, vice Nelson Provost.

John E. Budd, regent of the State University, to succeed himself, for the full term, to begin March 1, 1900.

Gov. Gage has returned to the Senate with his approval Senate Bill 2, creating a Commissioner of Public Works; Senate Bill 3, amending section 2 of the act of 1897, relative to the appointment of an auditing board of public works, that its work may be extended beyond the limits prescribed in the original act; Senate Bill No. 4, repealing the mining law of 1897; Senate Bill No. 5, so amending section 2524 of the Political Code that the wharves of San Francisco may be extended, and permitting the Governor of California to sit with the Board of State Harbor Commissioners; Senate Bill No. 6, amending section 2527 of the Political Code relating to the powers of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners; Senate Bill No. 7, authorizing the State Treasurer to transfer to the San Francisco Harbor improvement fund $36,-000 now in the San Francisco depot sinking fund.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 9.—When the Senate reassembled this afternoon Senator Wolfe withdrew his proposed constitutional amendment to regulate the charges of telephone companies, and in doing so explained that he had introduced it in good faith, and that the time would come when everybody would concede the necessity for such legislation.

Senator Smith offered a concurrent resolution granting a leave of absence from the State not to exceed six months, of State Treasurer Truman Reeves. The resolution was adopted.

Senator Leavitt offered a resolution that the Lieutenant-Governor be authorized to appoint a committee of three Senators to investigate the State Printing Office and report at the next session of the Legislature, and that the expenses of such investigation do not exceed $500, was adopted, and as such committee Lieut.-Gov. Neff appointed Senators Leavitt (chairman,) Shortridge and Ashe.

A message was received from the Governor announcing that he had signed Senate Bill No. 1, repealing the wide-tire act approved March 20, 1897; also Senate Bill No. 13, repealing section 19 of article III of the State Lunacy Commission act.

Senate joint resolution No. 6, relating to the surveying of public lands in the State by the Federal Land Office was taken up and adopted by a vote of 27 to 0.

Assembly amendment No. 3, to amend section 32 of article IV of the Constitution, which had been reported from committee without recommendation, was taken up, and Senator Davis explained that the proposed amendment was intended to make it impossible for the Governor to veto a claim bill which might pass the Legislature. The proposed amendment was lost by a vote of 1 to 25.

Assembly joint resolution No. 1, by Caminetti, relating to an application by the Legislature of the State to the Congress of the United States, to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Federal Constitution on the question of the election of Senators in Congress, had been amended in the committee, striking out the words, "On the question of the election of Senators in Congress," thus leaving the resolution to request a call for a convention for general revision of the Constitution. The amendment was ordered printed.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 2, proposing an amendment to the Constitution by adding a new section to be known as section 6 of article II, permitting the expression by ballot by the people of their preference for the office of United States Senator, which had been reported back adversely, was taken up and lost by a vote of 17 yeas, 11 nays.

Assembly concurrent resolution No. 2, requesting the Federal government to construct roads in the Yosemite National Park, was adopted by a vote of 25 to 0.

Assembly joint resolution No. 3, requesting that Congress do something to stop the "grabbing" of government petroleum, asphaltum and other land, was adopted by a vote of 24 to 0.

At 5:30 p.m. the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

REPUBLICAN LOVE FEAST.

BARD'S RECEPTION WILL BE ONE

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 8.—Hon. Thomas R. Bard, the newly-elected Senator, will arrive in San Francisco tomorrow morning and will be tendered a reception in the evening at the rooms of the Union League Club. Elaborate preparations have been made for the reception, and it is expected that over six hundred guests will be present. The idea in the minds of those arranging for the affair is that it shall serve as a Republican love feast for the harmonizing of all factions of the party. Invitations have been extended to all Republicans of the city, the State Central Committee and members of the Senate and House of the Legislature. There will be speeches by Gen. W. H. L. Barnes, E. F. Preston, J. P. Jackson, George A. Knight, Thomas Flint, Jr., (president of the Senate,) Hon. Jacob H. Neff, Lieutenant-Governor; Senator R. N. Bulla, George C. Pardee, Samuel M. Shortridge, Irving M. Scott, Dr. Rowell, Judge John F. Davis, E. S. Pillsbury, Joseph Campbell and other Republicans. Senator Bard is expected to respond.

ROBBED A TOURIST.

MISTRESS OF A BUNCO SHARP FOLLOWING HIS BUSINESS.

Helen Anderson, alias Martin, the mistress of "Square-faced" Collins of the Poker Davis gang of bunco sharps, was taken to police headquarters last night on complaint of a tourist, a married man, whose name the officers refuse to divulge. The tourist called at the detectives' office shortly after 9 o'clock last night, and asked for the Chief of Police. To Chief Elton he said he was a stranger in the city, and that he had been robbed. He refused to state any particulars unless promised that his name would not be made public. He was told that unless he desired to prosecute the case his name need not be known. He then stated that Helen Anderson had robbed him, and described her. She is well known to the police, and a detective soon found her. She admitted having taken the man's jewelry, worth about $30, and agreed to return it. An officer was sent with her, but when she learned that her victim would not prosecute her she said she was unable to find the jewelry. The money she had secured, $20, she had spent.

She was taken back to the Chief's office and it was explained to her victim that unless he prosecuted her his property was probably gone forever. He said he would not appear in court for twice the amount, and therefore the police could not hold the woman, the offense being only a misdemeanor. She was told by the Chief that she must leave the city, and this she agreed to do if given until next Tuesday. She said she was having several dresses made, and they would all be finished by that time. She was released and warned that she would be closely watched until Tuesday, and then if she is in town she will be arrested.

One result of the case is that the detectives learned that "Square-faced" Collins, who was supposed to have left the city, frequently returns at night. Chief Elton ordered the detectives to look out for him and lock him up at sight.

EXPOSITION NOTES.

TROPICAL PLANTS COLLECTION. SPECIAL DATES.

Next week the work of preparing Hazard's Pavilion for the Industrial Mining and Citrus Exposition, which opens the 19th inst., will begin. A large number of carpenters, decorators and machinists will be in possession of the building for a week. The demand for space by exhibitors has been so great that more than one-half of the gallery has been allotted, in addition to the entire first floor.

The display of plants and flowers will be under the direction of Florist Diedrich. A collection of rare tropical plants is being prepared.

The following dates have been selected for special programmes, and others will be announced as fast as they are arranged by the committees:

Monday, February 19.—Opening day; Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association night.

Wednesday, February 21.—Beekeepers' day and State convention of the association, with two daily sessions.

Thursday, February 22.—G.A.R. day and appropriate services in commemoration of Washington's birthday.

Friday, February 23.—In the afternoon the white baby show and musical programme.

Wednesday, February 28. — Nashville students and their plantation songs.

Friday, March 2.—Independent Order of Foresters' day, with a set programme and an address by High Chief Ranger McElfresh.

Wednesday, March 7.—Native Sons of the Golden West day, with exercises under auspices of three local parlors.

Thursday, March 8.—Miners' day, when the owners and shippers of this section, New Mexico and Arizona will meet.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF REMOVAL.

Sanborn, Vail & Co. will remove to their new and beautiful store, No. 367 South Broadway, March 1. To avoid loss from breakage they will place on sale choice of 1000 exquisite art medallions at 25 per cent. discount from the regular prices. Sale begins Monday, Forbuary 12. Their present store, No. 133 South Spring street, is for rent.

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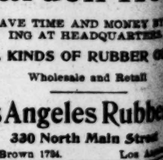

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TRANSPORT MOVEMENTS.

LOGAN BACK FROM MANILA.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The United States transport Logan arrived today from Manila. The voyage occupied twenty-six days. The Logan brought fourteen passengers. On February 3 Robert Gray, late of Co. B, Twenty-second Infantry, died at sea from dysentery. The body was embalmed and brought here.

MISSOURI'S ROUGH VOYAGE.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—The hospital ship Missouri was lying in the harbor of Honolulu when the steamer Alameda left that port. The Missouri reports an exceedingly rough voyage after leaving Nagasaki, and during that trip sixteen of her passengers died, most of them from wounds received in the war and from dysentery. The Missouri had 272 sick and wounded soldiers on board when she started from Manila.

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APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

OROVILLE, Feb. 9.—Rodley's attorney gave notice of an appeal to the Supreme Court and served notice of arrest of judgment on the Sheriff of the county, in order that the prisoner would not be taken to San Quentin at once.

YOUTH'S FATAL FALL.

DROWNED IN PIT RIVER.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

REDDING, Feb. 9.—A report reached here tonight of the accidental drowning of Willard Wood in Pitt River near Bieber, Lassen county. He was 18 years old, the son of William Wood, a prominent farmer of Big Valley. He left Bieber on foot at dusk, bound for home, about six miles away, and must have become lost in the woods. After crossing Pitt River bridge, he wandered back to the stream and falling off a ten-foot bank was drowned. After being missed, his footsteps were traced and the river dragged. The body was recovered today.

KASSON TREATY.

DECEPTIVE FRENCH OPPOSITION.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—William M. Bunker, a San Francisco newspaper man, who is now in Paris as honorary commissioner of the local Chamber of Commerce, has written a letter to that body in which he speaks of the Kasson reciprocity treaty as follows:

"The French opposition to the treaty is more apparent than real. If the Americans injuriously affected by the treaty were to leave its defeat to the French they would make a serious and probably fatal mistake."

LONG TERMS FOR ROBBERS.

THIRTY YEARS IN THE "PEN."

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

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Suit Over a Corpse.

SAN RAFAEL, Feb. 9.—Coroner Eden and Dist.-Atty. McIsaacs have decided to sue Coroner Cole and deputies of San Francisco for taking the body of Burton Hardeman from Angel Island last evening. Angel Island is within the jurisdiction of Marin county. The Coroner of Marin demanded reimbursement for the expense he had gone to, but the San Francisco officials refused to respond.

Young De la Rosa Rearrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Joseph de la Rosa, who was discharged by Judge Cook on the charge of forgery for having signed his father's name to a document asking assistance, was rearrested today on a justice's warrant from Sacramento. He is wanted there on a felony charge of obtaining money by false pretenses.

Protest Against Colonization.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.—Acting Immigration Commissioner Schell at this port has forwarded to National Immigration Commissioner Powderly at Washington a protest against the intended colonization of a large tract of land in California with 1500 Russian emigrants now in the Northwest Territory.

Apiarists to Form an Association.

FRESNO, Feb. 9.—The Fresno County Apiarists held a meeting here today, at which it was decided to form a coöperative association similar to the raisin growers' associations. The capital stock was placed at $10,000, of the par value of $1 a share.

Fresno Organizations Unite.

FRESNO, Feb. 9.—Tonight the Hundred Thousand Club, one of Fresno's commercial organizations, united forces with the Chamber of Commerce, and hereafter the two will act as one body.

FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION.

SHIPPERS TO BE GRANTED SOME IMPORTANT CHANGES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Commercial Advertiser says that changes of an important character will be made in the freight classification is assured. After two or three advisory sessions with the traffic managers of the principal trunk lines the members of the Classification Committee have settled down to a thorough overhauling of such parts of the new classification as were complained of by the manufacturers and shippers at the recent public hearing.

The trunk lines have agreed to adopt a friendly policy toward the shippers and the numerous protests and requests filed with the Classification Committee will be considered with a view of removing causes of complaint as far as possible. On authority that is indisputable, the statement may be made that many of the requests of the shipper will be complied with and the official classification will be revised on liberal lines. In every instance where the operation of the existing scale of rates is shown to be seriously detrimental to any particular industry, a change will be made, and the merchandise concerned will be classified more advantageously.

There is good reason to believe that the prospective revision of the official classification will include a considerable lessening of the differences in rates between carload lots and less-than-carload lots.

TOOK NO CHANCES.

POLICE ACT PROMPTLY ON A SUSPICIOUS CASE.

R. D. Walker, who gave his address as No. 141 West Fifth street, and a young woman, who seemed from her appearance to be respectable, and whose name he gave as Catherine Stone, were arrested at midnight by Patrolmen Fowle and Baker at First and Los Angeles streets. The woman was very drunk, but the man was sober enough to take care of himself. The policemen found Walker apparently endeavoring to take the oman into a house of questionable repute, and as her appearance and actions indicated that were she sober she would not enter such a place, they arrested both of them. When the woman reached the Police Station she seemed to realize her position, and wept bitterly.

Walker had little to say, but was very anxious to secure bond, but this was not allowed him. From papers in his possession it was learned that the name he gave of the woman is not her name, but that she is a clerk who lives on Figueroa street, between Fourth and Fifth. Later a friend of Walker called at the Police Station and tried to secure his release, but Desk Clerk Tyler refused to release him on bond until the seriousness of his offense has been fully investigated.

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THIRD RACE—MILE AND SIXTEENTH, McLAUGHLIN SELLING STAKES (SIX)—
Pat Morrissey (101,) Resinante (95,) Flamora (90,) Dr. Sheppard (110,) Maley (96,) David Tenny (102.) (Couple Morrissey and David Tenny, B. & W. entry.) (61)

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The Natural Vertical System of Copy Books, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	$ .05	$ .07
The Natural Vertical System of Copy Books, Nos. 7, 8		.10
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Man and wife, cook and helper, $45; hotel waiters, $35; fare paid; dishwasher, $15; waiter, $7 week; hotel porter, $20; cook, $50; waiter, country, $22.50; man and wife, cook and helper, $60; hotel chef, $100; ranch cook, $15; laundry washer and engineer, $18; cook, Arizona, $12.

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Colored housegirl, $25; 7 ranch cooks, $20 and $25; governess, teach English, French and music and travel. Catholic preferred; housegirls, $25 and $20; girls, lighter places, $15, $12 and $12; over 30 places to select from.

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WANTED — 2 SECOND GIRLS, COUNTRY places, $25 each; family cook, country, $30; housegirl, country, $30; housekeeper, light place, $15; laundress, 3 in family, $25; middle-aged second girl, city, $25; man and wife as first and second cooks, $60; waitresses, city and country. MRS. SCOTT & MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 10

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WANTED—BY JAPANESE, HONEST YOUNG man, position to do plain cooking or light housework, city or country. T. H., 135 W. MINNESOTA. 10

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WANTED—

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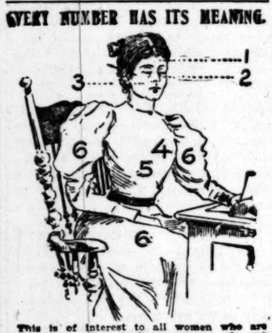

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GOVERNMENT FOR ALASKA.

A large delegation from Alaska is in Washington for the purpose of urging upon Congress the necessity of enacting legislation for the organization of a government for that Territory as soon as possible, and before the rush for the gold fields begins in the spring. There is no doubt as to the urgent need for the legislation asked for by these men from Alaska, and it ought not to require a great deal of argument to induce Congress to grant the necessary relief. So long as the Territory of Alaska was inhabited only by a few Indians, who lived in scattered hamlets, there was no necessity for any but the most primitive form of government. But the case is different, now, when thousands of adventurers are in the Territory, and thousands of others are sure to invade it within a few months.

What is wanted—what is imperatively necessary—is the establishment of definite, tangible authority throughout the Territory, with full facilities for the institution of municipal or county governments, as may be required. The establishment of courts of justice is a matter of paramount importance, and in acting on this matter Congress should make full provision for such courts as may be needed. There is now only one court in the entire Territory, and people are obliged to travel a distance of 1000 miles, in some cases, and often a longer distance, when they are summoned as witnesses or are interested in litigation. As traveling facilities in Alaska are not of the best, these long journeys often occupy several months, and not infrequently an entire year. This is a state of affairs which manifestly calls for a prompt remedy. The Alaska delegation ask for the establishment of a court at each of the cities of St. Michael, Cape Nome, Eagle City, and Juneau, or Skaguay. The request appears to be entirely reasonable, and it will probably be granted.

It is further stated that in the absence of authority for the establishment of municipal governments, a serious condition of affairs exists. Cities of from 1500 to 3000 population are without authoritative organization, and they are governed by officials selected without legal warrant of any kind. It is manifestly impracticable under such circumstances to attempt the organization of school districts, fire departments, police departments, etc. It is needless to say that where society is in so unorganized a state, the sanitary conditions are of necessity very bad. There are no sewers and no system of disposing of garbage. Most of the water used for domestic purposes is taken from rivers which receive the drainage of mining camps, or are subject to other sources of contagion. An epidemic of typhoid fever had broken out before the last boat left, and there were reasons to fear that its ravages would be very great, because of the unsanitary conditions generally prevailing.

The work of Congress in providing a government for this Territory should be thorough. Alaska has been a part of our national domain for nearly thirty years, and it is time that provision were made for its proper government. The revenue collected by the United States government from the Territory now amounts to between $250,000 and $500,000 annually, not more than half of which is expended for the benefit of the people residing in Alaska. The conditions which exist there call for prompt action on the part of the legislative branch of the government, which alone has power to supply and to apply the remedy. If Congress should fail to act on this matter at the present session, the results would be serious. There would be no excuse for such failure, and there will probably be no such failure.

The charge being so freely made that the assassination of Mr. Goebel in Kentucky was based upon political reasons is an assumption that is unwarranted. The fact that the friends of the man killed some years ago by Mr. Goebel have been threatening his life, should be taken into consideration before concluding that the murder was political in character. Whatever the reasons for his death, there is no excuse for the miscreant who committed the murder, and all good people hope that the perpetrator may soon be brought to justice. But opinion as to the reasons thereof should not be of too positive a nature until there are further developments.

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AN AUTOMOBILE TRUST.

One of the oft-repeated assertions of the advocates of free trade is to the effect that "the tariff is the father of trusts," and that if we had free trade with foreign countries, trusts would be virtually impossible. In putting forth these dogmatic assertions, the free-trade advocates conveniently forget or ignore the fact that trusts exist in numerous industries which have no tariff protection whatever. The Standard Oil trust is a case in point. It is one of the oldest, and probably the most powerful, trust in the United States. Yet there is no duty on petroleum, and it cannot with any appearance of truth be affirmed that this great and powerful trust was created or is fostered by the tariff.

Another trust which has been formed quite recently is the automobile trust. It has an authorized capital of $75,000,000, yet there is no tariff on automobiles, never has been any, and there is no present prospect that such a tariff will be imposed. Is the tariff, then, responsible for the formation of this trust?

Another fact in this connection: Although we have absolutely free trade in automobiles, a movement is on foot to unite all the manufacturers of these vehicles in the United States and Great Britain under one management, otherwise a trust. We are assured that under a free-trade policy trusts would not be organized. Yet how would free trade prevent or discourage the formation of this and other international trusts?

The simple truth of the matter, which is known to all men who are well informed, is that the tariff has very little to do with the formation of trusts, which exist alike under free trade, in England, and under protection, in the United States. The advocates of free trade are as well aware of this fact as are the advocates of protection; but the free traders are not honest enough to admit it. And, furthermore, our Democratic free-trade friends are perennially on the lookout for political capital, and are not very particular where or how they get it. But they are certainly welcome to all the capital they can get out of the automobile trust.

OREGON'S EXPERIENCE.

The American Economist of February 2, commenting under the above head upon the fact that all the woolen mills of Oregon are running on full time, well says:

"The announcement comes from Oregon that all the woolen mills in that State are working overtime. One concern which spread its samples in New York during the last week in December secured enough orders to keep every loom busy for eight months, and it withdrew from the market in four days. The Manufacturers' Association has begun to raise funds for a new woolen mill at Portland. It cannot be doubted in the face of these facts that at last the woolen industry has had its lines fall in pleasant places, and that those whose capital is in that industry and that the laborers who look to the woolen trade for their prosperity are beginning to recoup themselves for the loss suffered through the industry-killing Wilson free-trade law. It is no less evident that the State of Oregon is going through an experience of prosperity that will hold the State solid this fall for the party of protection."

The wildcat land locators who have been trying to gobble up thousands of acres of land near Newhall, have been given a well-merited setback by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and much good will result therefrom to that section of the country. These wildcatters have been filing oil locations on what is clearly agricultural land, but even were they mineral lands the locators have done nothing in the way of development, and the movements have been wholly speculative on the part of the locators. The tying up of railroad lands because of the overlapping grant feature and the action of the wildcat oil locators has been a long-sustained nuisance to that section of Southern California. It is to be hoped that an end of this clouding of titles and other embarrassments to bona fide purchasers of government or railroad lands, has been about reached.

The Legislature of British Columbia proposes to repeal the law excluding alien miners from provincial placer mines. This is a law that has worked much hardship to American miners, and its repeal will be a matter that will be of great moment, not only to the people directly interested, but to our northern neighbor as well. British Columbia will see some tremendous developments in mining if she will carry out this proposed measure of repeal.

When the Chicago River begins flowing past St. Louis in great, hard chunks, can you wonder that the dwellers on the banks of the Mississippi run to get their guns and other shooting irons? Even a saint-like Angelefio would feel injured under these circumstances.

Gen. Buller may consider himself lucky if his wedge doesn't get pinched in the leg.

THE WIDE-TIRE FIASCO.

And so, after all, the Legislature repealed the wide-tire law without enacting any law of similar nature to take its place! This action was more than half expected, yet it cannot fail to create a feeling of extreme weariness, not to say of disgust, in the minds of a majority—a vast majority—of the people of the State, who are intelligent enough to comprehend and appreciate the advantages which would accrue to all from the enactment and enforcement of a sensible, practicable law regulating the width of wagon tires on vehicles used for the transportation of heavy loads on the highways of the State. The bill introduced by Mr. Melick, had it passed, would have been a satisfactory substitute for the law which was repealed. The Currier bill, also, would have been better than none, although the time fixed for its taking effect was in the next century. But the Legislature made a grave mistake in repealing the wide-tire law which had just gone into effect, without enacting some similar measure to take its place.

If the members of the Legislature imagine that by repealing the law in question and neglecting to replace it with other similar legislation they will win votes or raise themselves in popular esteem, they are very much in error. While there are some farmers, no doubt, who are opposed to the law just repealed, and to all legislation on this subject, the vast majority of the people of the State are intelligent and far-sighted enough to understand that the intent of the law was good, whatever may have been its technical defects. There is need for just such a law in California, and in every State of the Union, for the preservation of the highways, and to secure to the taxpayers the greatest possible benefit for the large sums of money expended annually in building new roads and in repairing old ones.

Under the present practice, which the repeal of the wide-tire law leaves still in vogue, thousands of dollars are thrown away annually in work expended upon the public roads of the State. It is the very height of absurdity to go on, year after year, expending money in the construction and maintenance of highways to be rapidly cut up and destroyed, needlessly, by the use of heavily-loaded vehicles with narrow tires, when, by the substitution of tires of suitable width, the destruction could in large part be avoided. If once the wide tires were brought into general use, the advantages which they offer and the benefits which they confer would be so great and so obvious that there would be no disposition in any quarter to return to the use of the destructive, uneconomical, and indefensible narrow tires. What the pneumatic tire is to the bicycle—and it has made the success of that vehicle—the wide tire is to the vehicle designed for the carrying of heavy loads.

It should be the duty of the Legislature of California, at its next session, to enact a wide-tire law, to go into effect as soon as practicable after its enactment, which will be free from the objections urged against the law just repealed, and which will speedily bring about the general use of wide tires on all vehicles used for the transportation of heavy loads. Such a law is a consummation devoutly to be desired, and would meet with general approval.

When a fellow goes out and wallows in the sunshine that is so cheap and so plenty in this land of summertime, he finds it difficult to believe that, at the selfsame moment, a blizzard is blowing fourteen distinct and different daylights out of those misguided people who continue to try and exist in the winter weather back yonder where the frozen foot and the frost-bitten ear make merry all the day long. And nights, too.

As Congressman Hepburn doesn't like the present layout regarding the Nicaragua Canal enterprise, it is safe to say that there are some holes in the proposition that need patching, for Mr. Hepburn is a man who has made this canal scheme a sort of specialty for some time past. We feel like standing with the man who knows the true inwardness of things, and in this case the name of the individual is Mr. Hepburn of Iowa.

The fact that the Espee earned $33,237,820 in the six months ending December 31, shows conclusively that good times have returned to the country, for the most of these earnings are overflow. In other words the Espee gets business when the other lines are so crowded that it is patronize that line, or not ship. Some people, as has been remarked on other occasions, have more luck than sense.

A drop of 57 deg. in the temperature in the space of seventeen hours in blizzardland shows again how unfortunate it was that Christopher Columbus did not do his discovering from the westerly approach to this continent. Had he been so fortunate to have done so the disease called pneumonia would have had hard sledding in the part of the world which we call the U.S.A., for short.

The cable tells us that Gen. Buller must either go ahead or come back to the starting place. In other words, if he proposes to establish a summer resort at Vaal Krantz he will find the heat so sweltering that the resort will be a dead failure. It looks at this writing as if the general were going to continue headed toward the beleagured city with the ladylike name.

The fact that there is a casualty list coming in from the Tugela country, now and then, shows quite conclusively that Gen. Buller is still dead set on the proposition to visit Ladysmith and succor the lady at whatever cost.

The Pacific cable bill appears to be making headway slowly but surely. The people generally are strictly in favor of a government enterprise, but most of all, they want the cable. Congressman Barham's scheme will serve if no better way out of the woods can be found. But by all means let the big wire be strung, and that muy pronto.

It is a good thing that there are rich mines and things in Montana or that State would never succeed in getting a man into the United States Senate. Money not only makes the mare go in Montana, but without the filthy stuff every legislator in the State would buck at the first hill he came to.

The effort of Blanche Bates, the California actress, to stop a hosiery dealer from advertising his business at the expense of her shapeliness is, by the way, not a half bad advertisement for the lady in the case. Lost diamonds aren't in the running with a good swift pair of beautiful legs, are they Blancherino?

A scrap between Aldermen in Denver would indicate that there are those in Colorado who think that "Bloody Bridles" Waite had the right idea about things. We trust, however, that Colorado will take a glance at Kentucky before she gets too far along in her campaign of gore.

The talk about peace overtures on the part of British or Boer at this time is likely to be matter not worth paying telegraph tolls on. Until somebody receives a good hard bump in South Africa there is not likely to be any great amount of peace talk, except in the newspapers.

The representative Republicans in the Legislature, and elsewhere in the State, will descend upon the Ladysmith of the party organization in California and afford succor to the suffering if they have to climb a row of kopjes as long as from here to Siskiyou and half way back.

Get-rich-quick Miller, late of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been captured and returned to the scene of his operations, but he is so well fixed to ward off suffering that he is not likely to be worrying much about the name of the place where he will get off.

While Germany is getting together the biggest navy in the world it might be well for her to do a little speculating as to what the other nations are going to be doing while she is hammering away on her new ships.

The wide-tire law has gone glimmering, and so much the worse for California. But let us be not cast down; we have a United States Senator worthy the name, and "we ought to be thankful for that."

The blizzard that is blowing up the East must make the Los Angeles-dwelling tourist feel like a man who has escaped a fusillade of buckshot in the streets of one of Kentucky's numerous capitals.

When one stops to realize what trouble one Legislature makes in a State, he can begin to appreciate how sad and dreary things are in Old Kentuck, where they have two of them.

And now we are told that Macrum quit because he was prejudiced in favor of the defendant. If that is all, he hadn't much of a secret concealed about his person, after all.

When a snowstorm and a cyclone do a double song and dance, then there is anything but picnic weather in the land of the chilblain and the frosted heel.

If it is a fact that England's navy is equipped with old-time muzzle-loading cannon, the sooner she goes out and buys some up-to-date guns the safer.

If it is a fact that Kaffirs are fighting in the ranks of the Boers we may conclude that things are somewhat different from what they were previously.

Whatever else ails Gov. Taylor of Kentucky, he is certainly not in a rush.

The Playhouses.

BURBANK THEATER. One of the brightest and merriest performances of the Grau season was the presentation of "Olivette" last evening to a house that was far smaller than was meet for the merit of the entertainment. Miss Mortimer is still suffering from a severe cold, but she entered into the spirit of Von Suppe's tuneful opera with fine spirit, and considering the conditions sang well indeed. Stanley Felch was one long, lingering, joyous laugh, and Miss Emmett was likewise at her best. Mr. Swickard, the always painstaking and competent artist, did excellent work, and the choruses were given with dash and precision. "Olivette" will be repeated again tonight.

M'GIFFERT HERESY TRIAL.

PROFESSOR WILL FIGHT THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Prof. Arthur C. McGiffert of Union Theological Seminary will appear before the New York Presbytery next Monday to answer to the charges of heresy, which will be presented by the Rev. C. F. Birch. Prof. McGiffert has said that he hopes to be able to show that his real doctrinal position has been misunderstood, and he will try to convince the New York Presbytery, to which he belongs, that he is in substantial accord with the doctrinal statements laid down by the last general assembly expressly to fit his case.

According to his friends, he entertains not the slightest intention of relinquishing the contest or of voluntarily withdrawing from Presbyterian membership. These views were expressed by Prof. McGiffert at the seminary recently. It is known, however, that he has sent no statement to members of the presbytery, does not intend to do so, and will not yield a single point to his opponents until compelled to do so. All of his friends in and out of the seminary affirm this.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

For February 11, 1900.

John iii, 1-18: Jesus and Nicodemus.

THE CONNECTION.

After gaining those disciples, He attended a wedding up in Cana of Galilee, took his family and disciples for a short stay at Capernaum and then went down to Jerusalem to attend the Passover. That was His first Passover, after His ministry began and it was April, A.D., 27. During that stay in the city He wrought many miracles, excited great attention and won many to believe in Him. But their belief was based on the exciting "signs" which He did and was emotional, superficial, evanescent, therefore untrustworthy. He put no confidence in them, because He knew what was in man, knew that they would soon be overawed by the angry officials, now cherishing a deadly hatred toward Him for driving the traffickers out of the temple and otherwise breaking their hold on the people; knew they could not endure the plain truth of the cross which He would preach. While there He was visited by a high official and in this instance also He showed that He knew what was in man, for He knew Nicodemus could be trusted with His great truths.

THE LESSON.

I.

"Christ Sought by Nicodemus." (Verses 1, 2.)

"Now there was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews; the same came unto Him by night, and said to Him, 'rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God, for no man can do these signs that thou doest, except God be with him.'"

Nicodemus was an inquirer. He was one of the rulers of the Jews who had sent the deputation to John the Baptist inquiring if Christ had come. Those rulers had rejected John's teaching, especially his call to repentance, which was shown in their refusal to be baptized, for it was called the baptism of repentance, and would have been a sign that they had repented. Nicodemus either acted with them in rejecting John's message, or made no protest against it, and waited for further light. At any rate, he was to be classed with those who rejected the counsels of God against themselves, not being baptized with the baptism of John."

Such was the man that came to Jesus. He came because, having seen some of Jesus' miracles and noticed His bearing, he was convinced that at least God had sent Him on His mission, and that probably He was the Messiah. He had a calm, inquiring, judicial mind that would not reach a conclusion rashly, yet persisted in his inquiries till it did reach a conclusion. He was disposed to revise his opinion derived from John the Baptist.

His purpose in coming to Jesus is not fully set forth in his opening words, for Jesus perceived his state of mind—"for He knew what was in man"—and, interrupting him, began to address that state of mind with the truth it needed. Nicodemus, if left to himself, would probably have asked about Jesus' plans for putting the kingdom of God in possession of the nation, and would have offered him some advice, since the young rabbi from the backwoods of Galilee could not know the temper of the nation, nor how to proceed, as well as the experienced ruler. He thought that, if this were the Messiah, he would, by inheritance, have a place in His kingdom, and, because of his influence, would be able to render special aid in promoting it.

He was honest and unaffected, or he would never have gone to confer with a rabbi so young; nor with one who esteemed the technical learnings of a rabbi, which Nicodemus and others taught as of too little importance to obtain, nor with one coming from rude Galilee. He was brave enough, he was cautious and somewhat timid, or he would never have gone to see Jesus at all. He was wise, for he chose the very best time to go—at night. He would not go openly, for fear he might bring upon himself the wrath that the officials felt toward Jesus for His indignant condemnation of their abuse of the temple and on account of their own jealousy. As an official his slightest action, as regards Jesus, would be noticed. Till he was sure of his own views of Jesus he cannot precipitate such opposition. Wisely did he come secretly to Jesus.

He might have been a little complacent in conceding so much to Jesus and in saying for himself and others in the city "we know that thou art a teacher sent from God," and he must have felt entitled to all that Jesus could give, in virtue of his being a "ruler of the Jews." Yet, he was an inquirer.

II.

"Christ Teaching Nicodemus." (Verses 3-16.)

"Jesus answered and said unto him, 'verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born anew, he cannot see the kingdom of God.' Nicodemus saith unto Him, 'how can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb, and be born?' Jesus answered, 'Verily, verily, I say unto thee, except a man be born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Marvel not that I said unto thee, ye must be born again. The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the voice thereof, but knowest not whence it cometh, and whither it goeth; so is every one that is born of the Spirit. Nicodemus answered and said unto Him, 'How can these things be?' Jesus answered and said unto him, 'Art thou the teacher of Israel, and understandest not these things? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, we speak that we do know and bear witness of that we have seen; and ye receive not our witness. If I told you earthly things, and ye believed not, how shall ye believe, if I tell you heavenly things? And no man hath ascended out of heaven, even the Son of Man, which is in heaven. And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up: that whosoever believeth may in Him have eternal life.

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have eternal life. For God sent not the Son into the world to judge the world; but that the world should be saved through Him. He that believeth on Him is not judged: he that believeth not hath been judged already, because he hath not believed on the name of the only begotten Son of God."

(1.) About earthly things (verses 3-12.) These things Nicodemus, in virtue of being a teacher and versed in the scriptures, should have known, as Jesus says (verse 10,) "art thou the teacher of Israel and understandest not these things?"

What are these things that, though they concern spiritual and heavenly matters, are so well known on earth among those well learned in the truths of scripture as to be called "earthly things?"

That the kingdom of heaven which John had preached and Christ Himself had preached, and the nation had been expecting, was not to be an earthly kingdom, with a splendor appealing to human vanity and a power supported by earthly forces, but was to be a spiritual, a reign in the spirits of men; that entrance into this kingdom was, therefore, to be by birth—the new birth. Natural birth, even into the favored Jewish nation, did not entitle one to a place in that kingdom. This birth takes place on earth, however, and manifests itself here; Nicodemus ought to have been familiar with that fact. The scriptures had taught it: John had taught it; Jesus had taught it—the ruler ought to have known that one could not enter or "see" that spiritual kingdom without the birth of spiritual perception. The Jew as well as the Gentile must be born again, and Nicodemus saw that Jesus made no exception of him.

His foolish question, as if he thought Jesus meant a second bodily birth, was half in mockery prompted by pride; but it brought forth from Jesus an expansion of the idea of the new birth—a purification from past uncleanness, as indicated by the word "water" and a renewal of the cleansed life by "the Spirit." Jesus told him that cleansing from the old and implanting the new was necessary. Repentance secures pardon and cleansing, and the sign that one repented was his baptism. In rejecting the "sign" they rejected the whole requirement. Nicodemus must show his acceptance of God's demand through John by the sign of baptism. But that is not enough—spiritual life must be imparted as well as cleansing given. The latter is through repentance, which is signified by baptism; the former is given by the Spirit. Such is the view of many scholars. Jesus may mean, however, to indicate the cleansing power of the Spirit under the term "water," just as John the Baptist expressed the term "spirit and fire," saying of Christ, "He shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost and with fire." If water refers to baptism, it brings it only into symbolical relation to salvation, as Jesus immediately teaches that like begets like, spiritual life coming alone from the life-giving Spirit, not from any physical power of ceremony. That law of the spiritual, as well as of the natural world, is the reason why the new birth is necessary. The life born of the Spirit is like the action of the wind, which is inscrutable, following laws of its own nature that we can observe, but not control, yet producing effects easily visible to all.

"Every one who is born of the Spirit" has the sources of his life in the mysterious Spirit, is free from the laws of the flesh, but acts in accordance with his renewed nature.

Now, all that Jesus had been teaching can be subjected to tests and be verified here by Nicodemus and the others whom he represents. It is not only what Christ Himself knows because He has seen this go on, but others as well as Himself, whom he calls "we," meaning the men who have responded to John's call to repentance and have accepted Christ. Several were probably present with him, among them John, the writer of this story. Thus Nicodemus is reminded of things that are realized here and have their place on earth, things which, as a distinguished teacher, he should know. If he will not believe what is a matter of experience, how can Jesus go on and tell him what he evidently wants to know about; the deep things that lie back of it all?

(2.) But Jesus discovers a noble spirit in Nicodemus to which He can intrust those "heavenly things," (verses 3-16.) Those truths are (a,) His own divinity, He having come from heaven, having in His communion with the Father ascended to heaven, even now in His purpose ascended by anticipation into heaven, and, in His perfect fellowship with all that are there, "in heaven" Himself all the time; (b,) His incarnation as "the Son of Man;" (c,) His redeeming work on the cross. That the news to "flesh and blood." The type of that Christ was (the serpent of brass which Moses erected to cure the people who were bitten by the poisonous serpent. Each was "lifted up." Each was in the likeness of the disease—the serpent a representative of the powers of spiritual evil, yet among ancient people also a symbol of life and of the healing art, and as it hung limp and lifeless on the pole telling the people that their death was slain; Christ being in the form of the flesh that had sinned and stung us, He having been made sin for us, and absorbed in Himself all that was deadly in sin and made it harmless. In each case the disease was the result of disobedient unbelief and belief was the simple condition of cure. In each case it was some merciful love of God that led Him to offer the remedy. This glimpse into "heavenly things" will never fade from the soul of Nicodemus.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

But does it then follow that there is no new birth and no membership in the kingdom except through water baptism? Yes, if the New Testament is to be interpreted at once with a severe literalism which has no recognition for deeper realities behind external forms and with a disregard of the circumstances and occasions of a specific utterance. No, if the circumstances of Nicodemus which called forth and shaped this utterance are to be taken into account. Still more decisively no, if it be recognized that the manifest and pervading spirit of Jesus' teaching is more decisive for determining His doctrine on any matter, if not also for the meaning of any particular utterance of His, than is the literal sense of His words. For nothing is clearer than that He everywhere makes the state of the heart decisive for the determination of one's moral standing and destiny, and attaches no significance to rites and forms save as they are expressive of deeper moral facts.

Burton:

Man's nature is capable of being born again, and that is its peculiarity; there is in man a dormant or dead capacity which nothing but contact with God, the touch of the Holy Ghost, can vivify and bring into actual exercise. That there should be such a capacity, born as if dead, and needing to be quickened by a higher power before it can live and be of use, need not surprise us. Nature is full of examples of such capacities. All seeds are of this nature, dead until favoring circumstances and soil quicken them into life. In our own body there are similar capacities—capacities which may or may not be quickened into life. There are many of the minute insects which are twice born, first of their minute insect parents, and then of the sun; if the first comes in place of the sun, they die.

There are many things, and great things, man can do without any further divine assistance than that which is lodged for the whole race in the natural laws which make no distinction between the godly things man may do by virtue of his natural birth; but one thing he cannot do—he cannot quicken within himself the capacity to love God and live for Him. For this there is needed an influence from without—the efficient touch of the Holy Spirit, the impartation of his life. The capacity to be a child of God is man's, but the development of this lies with God.

TRUTHS TO EMPHASIZE.

Dods:

(1.) That Jesus is ready to meet every honest and earnest inquirer time, day or night.

(2.) That Jesus addresses need rather than our statement need, even as the Father sent answer to the need rather than quest of a sinful world.

(3.) That with such a change new birth possible and with the sity of it so urgent, a man who respond to the Spirit is stupid

(4.) That a belief in the ne being born again is rational effects cannot rise higher than cause, a spiritual life must spiritual source.

(5.) That the life which is in its origin may show itself wind manifests itself, in the life.

(6.) That the Master knows and earth, God and man, and

(7.) That the basis of spiritu is laid in the sufferings of Jesus

(8.) That His cross is His whence He rules the world, took on Himself the flesh in sinned, purified and suffered

(9.) That an unbelief separ from God, faith in Christ bind Him again.

(10.) That back of Christ's tion is God's love, a mighty since it can produce such

[HAWAII.]

BUBONIC PLAGUE HAS ABOUT RUN ITS COU

NO NEW CASES FOR A WEE HONOLULU.

City is Clean and if There Fresh Outbreak There Will Be a Slacking of Quarantine Cost of Epidemic to the Govern Will Be Almost a Million Dol

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 2, wired from Francisco, Feb. 9.—The situat this time is very encouraging week. While it is not considered the scourge has been stamped tirely, yet it is believed the tr well in hand, and, barring a ca and then for the next two wee city is clean and cannot be ter infected port.

It is the intention of the Boa Health to be on the safe side that end a strict quarantine kept up for some time to come other cases appear in a week may be a slacking of the rules affects travel and public gath There will hardly be a disposi raise the quarantine under days or more, though this may b clared a clean port before that t

The Pacific Mail Steamship pany announces that they will taking passengers from Hono San Francisco.

Another large fire occurred in town January 27. The flames d buildings covering about six ground. The fire is said to hav of incendiary origin.

The cable ship Nero arrived ary 29, after a long cruise in t cific. After taking on coal she for San Francisco.

THOUSANDS IN DETENT

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. steamer Alameda arrived from Australian ports via Apia and Honolulu. The Alameda dered to quarantine. There Japanese and Chinese in quara Honolulu, and three detention have been established. The did not dock at Honolulu, but that port for six hours. The carried 150 tons of freight consi Honolulu, but this was not la

Three deaths from the pla curred since the last advices, dying on January 26, a native ring on the 27th, and a Jap 28th. The wife of the Japane shows symptoms of the disease were few suspects and no positive up to the time of the sailing of meda. The health office on F stated that all the detention were free from sickness and the doctors were under the pression that the plague had run its course.

COST OF THE EPIDEMIC

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIM

HONOLULU, Feb. 2.—[Exclusive patch.] Now that the plague is tically stamped out, no deaths occurred for eight days, the of what quarantine and inspection cost is coming to the front. nothing of loss through interrup business, the expense the plag entailed has been enormous. tary establishment alone costs $1300 a day. In addition to this and inspectors supplied by the of Health have until lately co half as much more. For month the government supplied tions to about nineteen hundred sons in the quarantine district. 10,000 people who have been o the isolation barracks are provi at the government's expense. racks themselves, built to emergency, were necessarily

Upward of 8000 people have rendered homeless by the buildings. Many lost their all for some time continue to be upon the government. The the value of property de cluding both buildings and amount of household goods chandise. No one has yet make an exact estimate of plague will cost the public but it cannot be far under

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 9.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 29.98. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 64 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 72 per cent.; 5 p.m., 42 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m. east, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 3 miles. Maximum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum temperature, 40 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles ..... 48 San Francisco 48
San Diego ..... 50 Portland 42

Weather Conditions. — Light rain has fallen on the North Pacific Coast north of Cape Mendocino since the issue of yesterday's map, and snow has fallen eastward to the Missouri Valley. It is snowing this morning in Colorado, Idaho and Southern Montana. Extremely cold weather continues in the Missouri Valley. The minimum temperatures reported this morning being 6 deg. below zero at Omaha, 4 deg. below at Miles City, 30 deg. below at Havre, and at Kansas City 2 deg. above zero. St. Paul reports 16 deg. below, Chicago 4 deg. above, Cincinnati 18 deg. above. Clear weather and cool mornings continue in Southern California, and frost occurred at Los Angeles and vicinity this morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued fair weather tonight and Saturday, with frost in low grounds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9, 5 p.m.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfalls in last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	....	.....	18.43
Red Bluff	....	15.09	13.12
Sacramento	....	12.71	7.65
San Francisco	....	14.57	7.77
Fresno	....	6.14	2.34
Independence	....	3.08	1.15
San Luis Obispo	....	13.41	7.15
Los Angeles	....	4.87	3.98
San Diego	....	2.64	3.70
Yuma	....	.76	1.34

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 51 deg.; minimum, 46 deg.; mean, 54 deg.

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Forecast made at San Francisco for thirty hours, ending at midnight, February 10:

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 9.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.06; at 5 p.m., 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 73 per cent.; 5 p.m., 42 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 69 deg.; minimum temperature, 40 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

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Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	....	....	18.48
Red Bluff	....	15.09	13.12
Sacramento	....	13.71	7.85
San Francisco	....	14.57	7.77
Fresno	....	6.34	3.36
Independence	....	3.08	3.35
San Luis Obispo	....	12.41	7.15
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Fell in South Africa.

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BAD MAN CAPTURED.

OLD JAIL BIRD WHO HAS BEEN HOLDING PEOPLE UP.

Detectives Steele and Flammer made an important capture yesterday morning on North Main street, in the arrest of Harvey Fowler, a tough-looking man about 54 years old.

Fowler is well-known to the police. He has already served time in the City Jail, and the officers say he is an ex-convict. The particular charge on which he was arrested yesterday is the robbery of E. H. Minschke, who conducts a place of business at the corner of Fifth and Hill streets, and lives at No. 1030 West Eighth street. On January 25, about 9:30 p.m., Minschke, while going home, was held up by two men just before reaching his residence. They relieved him of a gold watch, with chain and charm, a bunch of keys, a bank book and a small amount of loose change.

The same evening a colored man was held up by two footpads at the corner of Pico and Olive streets.

The next night two men held up and severely beat a citizen on Ottawa street, near Figueroa.

Two nights later, January 28, G. H. Humphrey of No. 1722 South Flower street, was held up and robbed by two men, on Sixteenth street, between Hope and Flower. They saw him alight from a car, and waited in a dark place until he passed them, then took him by surprise.

Wednesday night, January 31, a Chinese vegetable gardener, while returning from Chinatown, was terribly beaten and robbed by two men a short distance south of the Santa Fé depot.

About 2 o'clock last Wednesday morning, Joe Guthrie, a hackman, was shot at by two footpads, on Figueroa street, near Twelfth. Four or five shots whistled past his ears as he lashed his horses into a gallop and escaped out of range.

There is reason to suppose that all of these jobs were done by the same men. When the Minschke hold-up occurred, the police, from the description given of the two men, believed that Fowler was one of the highwaymen, and they had been hunting for him ever since. The reason he was not apprehended sooner is because during the day he hid himself in the country, and returned to the city at night. Becoming less cautious, he showed up in the daytime and was captured.

Whether or not the police can prove that Fowler was connected with the other hold-ups, they claim to have a clear case against him in the Minschke matter. Detective Flammer says that the man has been positively identified, and that the stolen watch and chain have been recovered.

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A Great Need.

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We should be glad to hear from our physicians and have our minds disabused of this impression if untrue. Should the necessity really exist for a place of this kind is it not fully time that some motion be made to equip Southern California with a sanitarium? One equal to the fast-growing needs in our midst and sufficient to offer protection to those found "within our borders" from sister States, to whom all chances of recovery in our climate or companionship of their friends under the existing circumstances seem now denied?

AN INQUIRER.

Another McKinley Club.

The Fourth Ward McKinley Club held a meeting last evening, and effected temporary organization. A discussion of the new primary law, led by Deputy District Attorney Wilbur, occupied the major part of the evening. The water question and the best means of settling the difficulties between the city and the water company was also briefly discussed. A Committee on Constitution and By-laws was appointed, and adjournment was taken subject to its call. It is probable that permanent organization will be effected two weeks from last evening. The Committee on Organization is composed of the following gentlemen: R. H. Helman, S. H. Kingery, Edward Booth, Dexter Samson, Simpson McClure, Curtis Wilbur, F. O. Wyman, Burt H. Franklin.

"Kipling" Programme Rendered.

The Students' Literary and Debating Lyceum of the Normal School held the first open meeting of the term last evening, and rendered a programme that was entirely devoted to "Kipling." There was a large attendance. The first number on the programme was a solo by Miss Madge Stephens of the Normal Glee Club. Miss Beckley, head of the reference department of the public library, talked on "The Spirit of Kipling." Miss Meany gave a reading on "The English Flag." The Misses Troconis rendered a piano and mandolin duet. Other readings and musical numbers were given by Miss Blanchard of the public library; Mr. Morgan, Miss Palmer, and Miss Ruth Messmore. All the members present were given quotations from Kipling as souvenirs.

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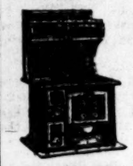

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CITY WATER RATES

DISCUSSED PRO AND CON YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Council Must Establish Them This Month—Meters Wanted—Park Foreman Retained—Grade of Temple Street.

Judgment in Brose Case Set Aside on the Ground That No Motion of Trial Was Ever Made.

Mascarel Children Want Special Administrator Removed—Girl Sues Her Trustee—Judge York's Trial Jury.

A meeting of the Water Supply Committee of the Council was held yesterday afternoon to consider the establishment of water rates for the ensuing fiscal year beginning July 1. The law provides that the Council shall establish the rate during February. Representatives of the water companies and of the Lodging-house Keepers' Association appeared before the committee and argued the question pro and con. The matter was taken under advisement.

At last the question of one or two foremen in Eastlake Park has been settled on a compromise basis. Foreman McDaniel will be retained at $2 per day, the wages paid the regular laboring force. The Park Commission also decided to ask that a survey of Elysian Park be made by the City Engineer.

The proposed change of grade on Temple street has begun to arouse opposition and a regular tempest seems brewing. Property owners on Figueroa street north of Temple assert that they would be left seventeen feet below the street and that water would settle on their land, causing no end of difficulties.

The case of Lorenz Brose against his wife, Augusta, must be tried again. The judgment of the 1st inst. was vacated by Judge Allen yesterday upon a showing that no motion to set for trial was ever made. Judgment was entered by default. Mrs. Brose tells a far different story from the one her husband tells about her defrauding him of his property.

The Mascarel children's petition that Special Administrator Weyse of the Mascarel estate be cited to show cause why he should not be removed from his position, has been granted, and the hearing on citation will be heard on the 19th inst.

Myrtle M. McCabe is suing Mrs. Mary Richardson and her husband for an accounting. It is alleged that Mrs. Richardson is the girl's trustee for about $1500.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

WATER RATES DISCUSSED.

CITY COUNCIL MUST ESTABLISH THEM THIS MONTH.

Representatives of the Water Companies State Their Side of the Case. Meter Rates Asked by Lodging-house Keepers—Park Foreman Case Settled—Temple-street Grade.

The question of fixing the water rates to be charged in the city during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1900, engaged the attention of the Water Supply Committee of the Council for something over an hour yesterday afternoon. Representatives of the water companies and members of the Lodging-house Keepers' Association appeared before the committee and expressed their views as to what should be done. The meeting was called in accordance with a provision of the State Constitution, which requires that the legislative body of the municipality must fix and establish the water rates for the fiscal year during February. Owing to the tangled nature of the water question and the strained relations between the city and the Los Angeles City Water Company, more interest than usual is taken in the action of the Council this year.

Besides the three members of the Water Supply Committee, Messrs. Toll, Blanchard and Lauder, the Mayor and Councilmen Pierce, Lauder and Todd were present at the deliberations. The annual statement of the three water companies now operating in the city were examined and made the basis of frequent questions propounded by the Mayor and members of the committee to the representatives of the companies. The law contemplates that these statements shall be taken by the Council as a basis for establishing the water rates for the ensuing year. Consequently the reports submitted by the companies show on their face that the water companies are all losing money in the conduct of their business—at least the expenditures are in each instance in excess of the receipts. Inasmuch as a popular superstition based on reliable estimates holds that the City Water Company alone makes a net yearly profit of $450,000, the reliability of the statements and the accuracy of the information furnished the Council can be judged.

The lodging-house keepers of the city are especially anxious that a meter rate shall be included in the list of rates this year. Several petitions from private parties have also been received, asking that such a rate be established. A petition bearing about 140 signatures was presented to the Council committee yesterday by the Lodging-house Keepers' Association. It was addressed to the Mayor and Council, and was as follows:

"We, the undersigned citizens and taxpayers of the city of Los Angeles would respectfully petition your honorable body that when making your water rates for the ensuing year you place lodging-houses and restaurants under the meter rates for the following reasons:

"First—We believe the meter rate the only proper way to charge for water.

"Second—We are being discriminated against—some in the same business are paying more than others."

O. E. Grubb who keeps the Terre Haute lodging-house on East First street and R. N. Walton, president of the Lodging-house Keepers' Association, addressed the committee at length, giving instances of alleged discrimination on the part of the water company. Mr. Grubb stated that for a period of five months he had paid $31.40 by the assessment system, whereas, by the meter rate, he would have had to pay only $18. Mr. Walton stated that for the last eight months he had paid for water at the rate of 80 cents per 100 cubic feet, when the rate fixed by the Council had been only 20 cents per 100 cubic feet.

On behalf of the Los Angeles City Water Company J. C. Drake and A. W. Ryan explained that the dispute between the water company and the lodging-house keepers had come from an attempt on the part of the water company to carry out the provisions of the ordinance. If the ordinances discriminated, it was not the fault of the water company. The trouble, according to Mr. Ryan, was because the rule did not work both ways. If the meter rate was lower than the direct assessment rate then the people insisted on availing themselves of that rate. If the meter rate was higher then the direct assessment rate was chosen. As a compromise measure the following amendment to the ordinance of last year was proposed:

"Any consumer or rate payer on application shall have the right to put on a meter of a satisfactory make at his own expense under the supervision of the person or corporation supplying water, and pay the water rate, provided only that no meter rate shall be less than $2 per month. Any person or corporation supplying water shall have the right to apply a meter in any case and collect meter rates."

The lodging-house keepers present objected to that part of the amendment to the ordinance providing that no meter rate should be less than $2 on the ground that it would be class legislation. In addition they asked that a uniform meter rate of 15 cents per 100 cubic feet be established. A long discussion of this phase of the situation followed. Mr. Ryan wanted to know how the Council would adjust a meter rate of a house that had several stores run by different parties and only one service connection. W. J. Washburn, representing the Highland Park Water Company, said he did not think that it would be fair to place the Highland Park Company on the same basis as the city company. His company, he stated, supplied a sparsely-settled district, and the expenses of the plant were larger in proportion to the returns than in the more thickly settled portions of the city. In this connection Chairman Toll read an opinion of the City Attorney relative to the duties of the Council in establishing rates. Eliminating copious quotations from the Constitution, the statutes and the charter, the opinion was as follows:

"In answer to your communication asking me for an opinion as to the right of the Council to fix different rates for the different companies, and also as to whether these same rates can obtain in the same portions of the city in case different companies are operating therein, I would state that pursuant to a provision of the State Constitution an act was passed by the Legislature authorizing the legislative body of the municipality to fix the rates that shall be charged by the water companies. Section 6 of this act provides as follows:

"'Rates for the furnishing of water shall be equal and uniform. There shall be no discrimination between persons and corporations as to the use of water for private and domestic or for public and municipal purposes.' This provision, I am of the opinion, prevents any discrimination between companies as to the rates to be charged by them.

"The courts have recognized the right of the Council to establish the rates at such figure as to it seems reasonable, providing that such rates bring to the company the operating expenses of the plant, a fair rate of interest on the investment, and a proper allowance for wear and tear. In conclusion, therefore, I would say:

"First—The Council may fix a uniform schedule of rates applicable to all companies alike.

"Second—In fixing such rates the Council has exclusive jurisdiction to determine the amounts to be charged, provided only that it so establishes the same that they will yield operating expenses, wear and tear, and a reasonable interest on the investment."

At the conclusion of the reading of the opinion, W. J. Washburn briefly addressed the committee. He wished to know which company the Council would consider in establishing the rates. It might be possible, he said, to make a rate that would yield one company a good income and bankrupt another. A. L. Adams of the West Side Water Company also addressed the committee on behalf of an equitable rate. He stated that his company was just getting a start in business; that it had never paid, and that it would be unjust to establish a low rate for the territory covered by the West Side Water Company.

After further discussion the committee took the whole matter under advisement. A report will be forthcoming some time before the end of the month.

PARK PROBLEM.

FOREMAN KEEPS HIS TITLE.

The momentous question of how to dispose of an extra foreman in Eastlake Park has at last been settled—Commissioner White believes that it has been settled right. Some of the other commissioners are still in doubt. Two weeks ago the Park Commission discovered that one foreman was all that was needed to handle the twelve men employed at Eastlake Park. As two men were already employed in this capacity, the stupendous problem was presented of what to do with the other man. How could the commission dispose of him? The Council was supplicated to put its shoulder to the wheel and amend the ordinance providing two foremen for Eastlake Park. Meantime, Foreman McDaniel was made a "working foreman" under D. R. Woods, the other man. The Council refused to assist the commission out of its dire difficulties; told the commissioners not to trouble the legislative branch with such trifling matters, and referred the matter and its solution back to the park board. It was considered by that body yesterday.

There was the usual long and harrowing discussion. Commissioner Teed maintained his position that the man was not fitted to be a foreman; that he "worked politics more than anything else," and that he should be reduced to the ranks or dismissed from the force altogether. He stated that the park funds were already way in arrears and that a cut was necessary. Two foremen were not needed, and there should be but one. Commissioner White, who has all along championed the cause of Foreman McDaniel, insisted that the foreman should be retained in his position, no matter what the cost. To attain this end, he introduced a motion, which stated in effect that Foreman McDaniel be retained as a foreman and his salary reduced to $2 per day—the salary of the common laborer. There was another long discussion concerning the propriety of the action, and the finances of the park department. Finally, it was decided to retain Foreman McDaniel on full time for six days in the week at $2 per day. Having at last reached a conclusion, the commission resumed the routine business of the board. Commissioner Teed alone murmuring dissent at allowing McDaniel to retain the empty title.

It was discovered that there was but $178 left in the Eastlake Park fund to run the park for five months, whereas the pay roll for January was $890. The advisability of borrowing $800 from the Westlake Park fund and $600 from the Echo Park fund was discussed, but no action was taken.

It was decided to ask the Council to instruct the City Engineer to make a survey of the north line of Griffith Park and to define the lines of Elysian Park.

A petition was received asking the reinstatement of H. S. Tunnicliff as foreman of Prospect Park. It was admitted that John Howard, the man at present in charge of the park, is competent and doing good work. No action was taken by the board.

The application of W. E. Switzer for appointment on the park force was filed.

PUBLIC WORKS.

GRADING OF TEMPLE STREET.

A full-fledged tempest seems brewing over the proposed change of grade on Temple street. All the arguments pro and con which have been presented to the public in times past will probably be revamped, and it is possible that changed conditions will introduce some new elements into the fight which is bound to come. The history of the grade of Temple street dates back some ten years, when an attempt was made to have the street placed on the then official grade. Had this been done it would have necessitated a cut of fifteen feet at Bunker Hill avenue and a corresponding fill at Figueroa (then Pearl) street. This project was defeated. About two years ago a petition was submitted to the Council asking that a compromise grade be established. This proposition had in view a cut of seven feet at Bunker Hill avenue and a fill of nine feet at Figueroa street. This project was also abandoned after a hard fight, and the petition was withdrawn.

At the last session of the Council a petition asking that the grade of the street be changed in accordance with the compromise plans determined on in 1898 was presented, as were also several petitions from those who had signed the original petition to be allowed to withdraw. It now develops that the petition presented is identical with the one filed two years ago, except that many additional names are added. The City Attorney has prepared an opinion which will be submitted to the Council on Monday, in which he holds that the names of the present protestants cannot be held on the petition, inasmuch as they were signed over two years ago, and conditions have materially changed since then.

It is stated that the Echo Park Improvement Association and the street-railway company are behind the present attempt to have the grade of the street changed. Property owners on Figueroa street north of Temple street strenuously oppose the change, as they assert that their property would be seventeen feet below the level of Temple street if the proposed grade were established. The question was briefly considered by the Board of Public Works yesterday morning, but no action was taken.

The board will recommend to the Council on Monday that W. H. Workman be granted an extension of time in which to comply with the provisions of a certain street-railway franchise on Boyle Heights; that Commercial street be curbed and sidewalked between Center and Vignes streets, and that Hemlock street be improved between Ninth and Twelfth streets.

[AT THE COURTHOUSE.]

HER STORY IS DIFFERENT.

MRS. BROSE THINKS HER HUSBAND DID NOT DO RIGHT.

Judgment of Former Trial Set Aside Because Lorenz Brose Forgot to Let His Wife Know That He Was to Sue Her in Court on a Certain Day Over Property Interests.

A motion was granted in Judge Allen's court yesterday, in the suit begun by Lorenz Brose against Augusta Hedwig Brose, that shows up a huge sort of misunderstanding or something. At any rate, all proceedings in the trial of the cause as conducted on the 1st inst., have been ordered set aside, and the judgment vacated. At that time Mrs. Brose was commanded by the court to convey to her husband certain property she had purchased near Santa Monica Cañon.

In July, 1898, Brose owned three lots on Tenth street, near the river, and on the premises he conducted a bakery. About that time he was engaged to go to Pomona to work, and alleges in his complaint that, before going, he had an offer for the purchase of his property. He was unable to remain until negotiations could be concluded, so he arranged with his wife to close matters up for him and send his money to Pomona.

Brose now swears that she sold the lots and kept the money—about $300—which she should have promptly forwarded to him. Instead, she quietly purchased ten acres of land on the coast with part of the money, he alleges, without his knowledge or consent, against his will and for the sole purpose of defrauding him. All this took place within a month after Brose went out to Pomona.

Therefore, he prayed the court to decree that she has no title or interest in the acreage; that she merely holds in in trust, and that, upon his demand, she should convey it over to him. When the matter came on for trial on the 1st inst., Mrs. Brose made no appearance in court, and by default judgment was entered for plaintiff as prayed for.

Great was the amazement of Mrs. Brose's attorneys, therefore, when Brose's counsel swooped down upon them with the court's decree, and demanded possession. This was the first they had heard of what had happened. And they promptly set to work to prepare affidavits, showing that the plaintiff had brought the action to trial without a previous motion to set it for trial or without stipulation. On this showing, Judge Allen yesterday promptly set aside the judgment already entered.

Mrs. Brose's attorneys tell for her a very different story from the one her husband swears to. She is a young German woman, who speaks hardly a word of English. Before she married Brose, she worked for him in his bakery. She avers that he still owes her for wages. In July, 1898, after he had lain around home refusing to work and compelling her to borrow money for him, until, as she says, she was tired of it, he finally concluded to go to Pomona to get a job, and leave his wife in this city.

"What are you going to do about your property here?" was her first question.

He replied that it was so heavily mortgaged that he was going to let it go to the hot place, where plasters on property are easily disposed of and all barriers burned away. And off he went to Pomona.

Mrs. Brose then rustled around in stalky Germanic fashion and succeeded in disposing of the equity in the property for about $300. With a part of this money she bought acreage on the beach near Santa Monica—land that it would be difficult for her to realize $10 an acre on. Inasmuch, as her husband abandoned the land, Mrs. Brose cannot see why she should be compelled to account to him.

Such is the story she tells—with a few frills as to her husband's worth and conduct—and, when the cause is up for trial again, other tales of varicolored interest may issue.

ACCOUNTING WANTED.

GIRL SUES HER TRUSTEE.

Myrtle Mary McCabe, through her guardian ad litem, P. B. McCabe, who is her father, began suit yesterday against Mary E. Richardson and her husband, William Richardson, for an accounting of trust moneys and the discharge of Mrs. Richardson as trustee.

As long ago as October 1, 1892, it is alleged that the sum of about $300 was paid to Mrs. Richardson by certain friends and relatives of the plaintiff, to be used by her in trust for plaintiff's benefit until plaintiff or her natural guardian and father should demand the same. At different times thereafter Mrs. Richardson, so avers the complaint, received in trust for plaintiff various sums aggregating $1200, and in all he now holds approximately $1500.

Mrs. Richardson accepted the trust in 1892, but since that time, it is alleged, she has continually refused to render any accounting of the funds she holds, and the further allegation is made that she has used the money in carrying on various businesses of her own, commingling the trust funds with her own money and making investments under her own name until all track may have been lost of the money that is plaintiff's.

The court is, therefore, besought to order an accounting of the funds in Mrs. Richardson's possession, the manner in which they are invested, and their accumulations and earnings with compound interest since 1892. A decree removing Mrs. Richardson from her position of trustee is also asked, and that such sum as may be found due plaintiff may be delivered to plaintiff's father as guardian ad litem, or to such other proper person as may be designated by the court.

MASCAREL ESTATE.

MORE LITIGATION MUDDLE.

The hearing on citation of H. G. Weyse to show cause why he should not be removed from his position as special administrator of the $1,000,000 estate of José Mascarel, was continued yesterday until the 19th inst. The citation issues on petition of Constance M. Goytino, Sylvester Mascarel and Hortense Mascarel, children of the deceased man of wealth.

Old man Mascarel died on October 6 of last year. Prior to his death and within a very short time, about fifteen or twenty deeds were executed by him to divers persons, conveying away real property worth between $150,000 and $175,000, and yielding revenues of about $600 a month. Among the properties so deeded away is the Mascarel, or Commercial, Hotel of Santa Barbara.

The allegation is now made—it has many, many times been made before—that Weyse and James Larquier, two of the persons named in the will as executors, who proposed the will for probate, were attorneys and agents of some of the persons to whom the deeds were made, and were instrumental in obtaining the deeds from Mascarel while he was under their influence and coercion, and incompetent to do business of any kind.

Four suits—three in this county and one in Santa Barbara county—have been begun to set aside the deeds to some of the properties, and Weyse and Larquier have been made parties to the actions. It is now found to be necessary to institute eleven more suits of similar character, and the Mascarel children feel that it is necessary that a special administrator should be appointed who has had no interest in and has not been concerned in any way with the execution of all these deeds that are soon to be in controversy. Petitioners are advised that these suits should all be instituted by an administrator of the estate, but they do not want Weyse in such capacity, because they allege that he had too much to do with dissipating the father's property before he died. Therefore, they ask that he be removed and some one else appointed.

NEW TRIAL JURY.

FOR DEPARTMENT THREE.

Thirty-five trial jurors were drawn in Judge York's court yesterday afternoon, and will be notified to appear in Department Three on Monday, February 26, at 10 a.m. They are as follows:

Henry S. Baldwin, R. H. Wilson, James Barlow, A. Haas, David Remick, A. W. Swanfeldt, William Ruddy, A. L. Coward, Byron Boynton, John Holman, S. H. C. Langworthy, E. S. Shattuck, George W. Peachy, J. A. Kingsley, Augustus Krug, E. W. Edson, A. N. Harris, John J. Cooper, Alix T. Bell, E. N. Cleveland, M. A. Hamburger, William B. Kemper, A. H. Potter, C. E. Coloney, A. S. Storrs, William Sex, R. N. Hilton, F. M. Adams, Michael S. Julian, William J. Scholl, H. Clement, D. Desmond, W. J. Broad, R. A. Hoyt, N. J. Bradley.

VINDICATES HIMSELF.

ATTORNEY BROOKS DEPOSES.

The vexed case of Mrs. M. L. Martin, who is suing J. C. Coney for $10,000 damages for alleged malicious prosecution, was up in Judge Allen's court yesterday on a motion to strike from the files of the case the affidavit filed by Coney on January 19, making some very grave charges against Mrs. Martin's attorney, J. Marion Brooks, Esq.

Coney averred that, after the action was brought, Brooks requested him to come to his office, where the latter told him not to go to any expense in the case, and that he would dismiss the action; but that at the same time Brooks said he would charge him the amount he would have to pay an attorney. Thereafter Brooks was alleged to have promised Coney time and time again to dismiss the case, but that he would not do so immediately, because it was necessary to leave the matter pending for some time, so that his client would not blame him in dismissing the action.

Coney even specified an occasion where Brooks intimated that he wanted to be paid some money for dismissing the case. Coney's lawyer, H. H. Appel, Esq., informed him that if Brooks was paid any money to dismiss the case, without Mrs. Martin's consent, it would be a fraud upon her, and no protection against himself. Coney says Appel gave him this advice, whereupon he informed him that he had never intended to pay Brooks any money whatsoever, although he avers that Brooks had repeatedly tried to obtain moneys from him without success.

In answer to these charges, Brooks yesterday filed counter-affidavits, in which he specifically denies every charge preferred against him. Brooks says that, soon after the pleadings in the case had been settled, Coney, through one Brown, caused a telephone message to be sent to his office to ascertain if the action could not be dismissed or settled. Brooks denies that he saw Coney more than once—possibly twice—after the action was begun.

Brooks then swears that he went to Mrs. Martin at once with Brown's proposal to settle. Nothing was done for some time, however, until Brooks was handed some letters by Brown—one from Appel to Coney, and one from Coney to Brown. Appel, so the letter stated, wanted to be relieved of the responsibility of Coney's case on an assurance he had that "the case was not to come up for hearing at any time," and "was not to be tried any more." Coney's letter to Brown was written after his receipt of Appel's letter, and stated that "you will note from the inclosed (Appel's letter) that the thing is fading away, and I wonder if Brooks, with a little coaxing, won't have it taken off the books, and save me paying out about $100 to employ another attorney."

Brooks, upon getting these letters, says he showed them to his client, and she told him he had better have an interview with Coney and ascertain what proposal he had to make. Finally, it was so arranged for Coney to call at Brooks's office, and Brooks asked him what proposal he had to make with reference to a compromise. But Coney is said to have refused to make any proposal, but proceeded to utter "vulgar, uncouth and nasty words" against Mrs. Martin, until his demeanor became so offensive to Brooks that he invited him to leave the office, after asking him what he meant by that letter to Brown. He said he thought he could, through his friends, coax Brooks to advise his client to dismiss the action.

Brooks concludes his affidavit by appealing to the court, in justice to the profession, that vile, disreputable attorneys and dishonest people may be properly dealt with; that a citation be issued to Coney and Appel to show cause why they should not be punished for deceiving the court by filing a false, fraudulent and perjured affidavit, and that the same be stricken from the files.

The motion was not argued, but was denied without prejudice. An affidavit by Mrs. Martin, covering the same ground as the Brooks affidavit, was also filed.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

MISCELLANEOUS BREVITIES.

NATURALIZED. Edgar P. Normandin, a native of Great Britain, was admitted to citizenship by Judge York yesterday.

DIVORCED. Frank McVey was granted a divorce from Rose McVey yesterday in Judge Smith's court, on the ground of adultery.

Elizabeth A. Vore was divorced from Jesse W. Vore in Judge Fitzgerald's court, on the ground of failure to provide.

Rachal Hollman was divorced from Archie Hollman by Judge Trask, on the ground of desertion.

DISCHARGED. Clarence J. Sears, held to answer from the City Justice Court on a charge of attempt to commit burglary, was discharged by habeas corpus proceedings yesterday before Judge Smith, who held that the defendant had been permitted week in and week out to frequent the owner's premises, and had been welcomed there. Consequently, the alleged attempt was without foundation in intent or fact.

ROWELL CASE. The Rowell burglary case will conclude today. A. S. Davidson of San Pedro, wanted by the defense, was taken into court yesterday morning on a bench warrant. His disregard of an ordinary subpoena cost him a night in the County Jail.

ANOTHER ATTORNEY. William P. Richardson, upon presentation of a certificate from the Supreme Court of Arizona, was admitted by Judge Trask yesterday to practice as an attorney-at-law in the courts of the county.

INCORPORATIONS. The Lagomarsino Oil Company incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of $500,000, divided into $1 shares, of which $25 has been subscribed. Los Angeles will be the company's principal place of business. The directors are J. Q. Braun, A. C. Harper, Charles T. Howland, R. N. Walton, J. W. Conkling.

IN ERROR. Through a lapse in yesterday morning's issue, between the word "surely" and "surely" the court columns of this paper were made to place the attorneys for the defense in the injunction suit against the Hollywood Cemetery Association in a peculiarly absurd light. The suit was begun by William [illegible] Fay, and on motion of the plaintiff was dismissed. A motion for non-suit was withdrawn under the court's intimation, as the plaintiff had proved his case that he had failed to do so. The cemetery association was entitled to judgment on the merits of the case. Plaintiff moved to dismiss without prejudice, however, before the defendant had opportunity to put in testimony whatever.

PROBATE OF WILL. George W. Robbins asks for the probate of the will of Eliza Craig in an estate valued at $1000.

Mrs. Marietta M. Hartshorn petitions to have the will of her late husband, Erasmus D. Hartshorn, admitted to probate. The estate is valued at about $20,000, with a real value of $1000 per year.

Gen. John R. Lewis, one of the best known men in G.A.R. circles, died suddenly in Chicago Thursday night. At the outbreak of the civil war Gen. Lewis mustered a company of men known as the Fifth Vermont Volunteers, and was commissioned captain. He was sent south and rose to the rank of brevet brigadier-general. He took part in the battle of the Wilderness, where he lost an arm.

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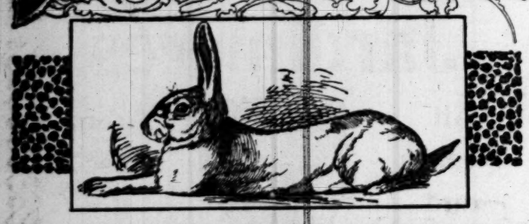


The second day's attendance at the Belgian Hare Exposition was more than double that of the first day, and from the time the doors opened in the morning until the lights were turned out late at night, the dingy old pavilion was crowded with hare fanciers and a sprinkling of persons from without the magic circle of haredom. There were many visitors from out of town, many coming from San José, San Francisco and other distant points to view the exhibit and to make purchases of stock.

The crowd was a critical one and, in the main, viewed the exhibits from the standpoint of experts, taking note of the scoring points of the animals inspected. There were some, however, who looked upon the show as a menagerie and noted simply the antics of the baby hares and the blissful quiet of their sedate mammas. To such persons it mattered not if the left hind foot of a rabbit were off color, nor if the ear-lacing were below standard.

One of the noticeable features brought out by the display is the number of women who are devoting their time to the breeding and culture of the Belgian hare. It is probable that more than one-half of the rabbitries in Southern California are managed by women, and it is safe to say that in the conduct of the remainder of the enterprises the women have much to say. In a majority of the exhibits women were on duty yesterday as managers, and women were among the most interested spectators. The nature of the work of breeding and raising fancy stock appeals directly to the feminine heart, while the financial returns and the allurements of outdoor life are inducements that cannot be resisted.

Stories, seemingly fabulous in their details of the rapid accumulation of wealth from small investments, were told by many of the exhibitors, and many despondent ranchers and discouraged business men and women have, through the new industry, placed themselves in possession of comfortable incomes. In some instances trips abroad in search of fancy stock have been taken by persons who had a few years ago no hope even of going as far from home as San Francisco.

One of the largest booths in the hall is that of the Bonanza rabbitry, and the well-arranged and roomy exhibition cages show to advantage the 135 animals which are on display. The exhibit is under the management of Mrs. J. A. Guttery of Santa Barbara, one of the many successful women who are engaged in the business. The bright particular star of this exhibit is Champion Fashoda, a youngster who has been in this country but two or three months. The prizes, medals and cups won in England by this animal would fill a soap box.

Dr. B. C. Platt of Los Angeles, one of the owners of the Bonanza rabbitry, is given credit by his friends for introducing the merits of the Belgian hare to the attention of the people of the United States. He was by no means the owner of the first hares brought to this country, but it is said that through his efforts the possibilities of the industry were made public. About five years ago a pair of hares was presented to Dr. Platt's son, and from this beginning has grown a business that yields an annual income of several thousand dollars.

The great fecundity of the hare affected alike the mathematical and the humorous kinks in Dr. Platt's brain, and he prepared a "hare multiplication table," which was published in The Times in October, 1898. This table, in a simple manner, showed the wonderful results in the way of progeny which might be obtained in five years from one pair of hares. In round numbers 5,000,000,000 descendants would be members of the family of the original pair. Even deducting one-half for losses in various ways, the mathematical-minded medico figured that with three or four pairs of the animals, he could supply the world with rabbit potpie.

The Clover Leaf Rabbitry has one of the daintiest and best decorated booths in the hall and their display of black and white Russians, and blue fawn and other Belgians is exceptionally good. The Sunflower Rabbitry booth is decorated in an artistic and original manner, and displays some fine specimens. Among the other booths worthy of special mention are those of the Meadow Brook Hare Company, L. D. Hadley's Lamanda Park display, and the Los Angeles, London, English, Orangedale, and Blue Ribon rabbitries. The Silver Gray Rabbitry makes an especially fine showing in the specialty, the silver gray hare. A large display of meat stock is made by the Nadeau Park Rabbitry, where hares of humble birth hold forth.

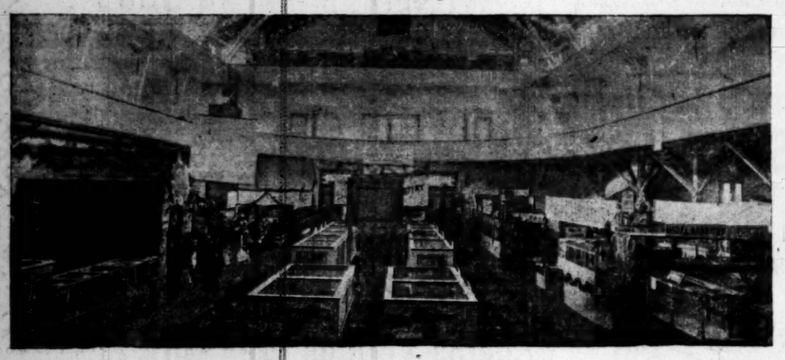
The work of scoring the entries progressed satisfactorily all day, and when evening came all of the animals, with the exception of a few in one class, had been passed upon by P. E. Crabtree, the expert judge. The scoring will be completed this morning. The committee of citizens who worked in conjunction with the judge, received the thanks of the management for their gratuitous and arduous labors.

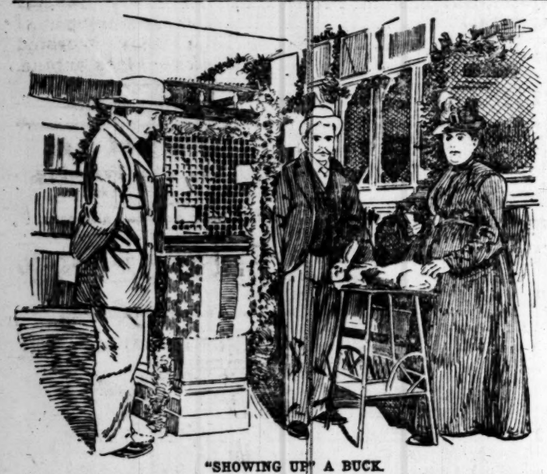
The hardest work which the committee found was that of tabulating the scores, and for several hours S. R. Kellam and Vivian Tresslar labored with the refractory figures. While they were able to announce the winners of the prizes in the first two or three classes, it was impossible to make the correct list of awards until about midnight, and even then a partial list only was made. The official list follows, with the prize, sex, score and owner, respectively:

Class A, purse $100 each: First, buck, Fashoda, 95½, E. Platt; first, doe, Red Riding Hood, 96, F. B. Cox.

Class B, purse $50 each: First, buck, Yukon Boy, 94¼, L. D. Hadley; first, doe, Lady Vic, 93¾, E. M. Hatch & Son.

Class C, purses $15, $10, $5; bucks 10 months and over: First, 94½, F. B. Cox; second, 92¾, H. P. Miller. Does, same age: first, 94, C. A. Kuns; second 92¾, Elmer Platt; third, 91¾, Mrs. A. M. Bush. Bucks 8 months and under 10 months: First, 94¾, M. H. Saxton; second, 94, Mrs. J. F. Boyd; third, 93¾, Elmer Platt. Does, same age: First, 96, F. B. Cox; second, 95, C. A. Kuns; third, 93¾, H. P. Miller. Bucks, 6 months and under 8 months: First, 94¾, A. R. Hubbs; second, 93½, H. C. Blaney. Does, same age: First 93½, H. P. Miller; second, 93¾, H. P. Miller. Bucks, 4 months and under 6 months: First, 94¾, Somarindyck & Campbell. Buck under 4 months: First, 92¼, Hoffman.





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Class D, purses $15, $10, $5: Bucks, 10 months and over: First, 94¼; L. D. Hadley; second, 93¾, L. H. Vinnell; Does, same age: First, 93, E. Melville; second, 92¼, J. C. Pridham. Bucks, 8 months and under 10 months: First, 94¾, Elmer Platt; second, 92, Mrs. F. Ralston, George H. Miner, tie; third, 91, H. Reynolds. Does, same age: First, 94¾, H. P. Miller; second, 93¾, E. M. Hatch & Son; third, 93¼, Elmer Platt. Bucks, 6 months and under 8 months: First, 95, J. C. Pridham; second, 93, L. D. Hadley, Clover Leaf Rabbitry, tie; third, 92¾, H. C. Blaney. Does, same age: First, 94½, L. D. Hadley, L. D. Hadley, tie; second, 94¼, Clover Leaf Rabbitry, L. D. Hadley, tie; third, 94, Mrs. C. D. Martin. Bucks, 4 months and under 6 months: First, 95¾, J. C. Pridham; second, 93¾, Elmer Platt. Does, same age: First, 94¼, J. A. Reynolds; second, 93¼, Mrs. J. F. Boyd; third, 93, Elmer Platt. Bucks, under 4 months: First, 92¾, J. N. Simmonds, Mrs. C. D. Bond, tie; second, 91¼, Maine Belgian Hare Exchange; third, 90¼, Elmer Platt. Does, same age: First, 91¾, J. N. Simmonds; second, 91¼, E. Melville; third, 89½, Elmer Platt.

Class E, gold cup: Buck and his get (over 1 year:) First, 91½, E. Bannesberger. Doe and single litter (under 3 months:) First, 94½, Mrs. C. D. Bond.

Class F, gold medal first, $10 second: Buck and his get (under 1 year:) First, 90½, E. M. Hatch. Buck and single litter (under 3 months:) First, 92¾, H. P. Miller; second, 90¼, E. M. Hatch. Doe and single litter (under 3 months:) First, 94¼, E. M. Hatch.

Class L, heavyweights; purse $10: Buck, 10 months and over: First, 91¾, J. F. Greenough. Doe, same age: First, 89½, Elmer Platt. Buck, 8 months and under 10 months: First, 88¼, Thomas McKinnon. Doe, same age: First, 91½, E. Bannesberger. Buck, 4 months and under 6 months: First, 89½, Ernest Richter. Doe, same age: First, 88, Ernest Richter.

STRAY HAIRS.

The American Breeders of Belgian hares have arranged with P. E. Crabtree, the judge, to instruct a class in scoring. A course of ten or fifteen lessons will be given, the first one opening at 1:30 p.m. today at Hazard's Pavilion. The remainder of the lessons probably will be given at the rooms of the association in the Currier Block.

Mr. Crabtree, in speaking of the stock which passed through his hands to be scored, said: "This certainly is the greatest and best exhibition of Belgian hares ever given in the United States, and I doubt if it has been equaled abroad. The doe which took the first prize in class A is the second one ever to score as high as 96 and is a fine specimen."

All of the most valuable animals are taken home by their owners each night, notwithstanding the fact that two watchmen are on duty at the exhibition hall all night. In addition to this some of the exhibitors employ special watchmen for their exhibits.

With the examination of a few more specimens in one class the work of scoring will be completed this morning.

Among the visitors from out of town who are attending the show are: C. S. Bond, Harry Stoddard, O. P. Squiers, J. A. Guttery and wife, Game Warden C. A. Loud, C. E. George, Joseph Cooper, Messrs. Boughton and Reed, Santa Barbara; Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and Messrs. Carter and Sexton, Goleta; P. C. Higgins and Mr. Shepherd, Carpinteria; H. Witman and Dr. Henderson, Pomona.

Some of the breeders of fancy stock, who are having difficulty in securing nursing does for their litters of young, are praying for the invention of an incubator which shall care for the youngsters until they can care for themselves.

The G.A.R. Drum Corps parades the down-town streets each evening a la Salvation Army, advertising the exhibition and gives several selections at the entrance to the pavilion.

An auction sale was held yesterday afternoon and several hares were sold.

To supply the restaurant with hares for the table the surrounding country was drawn upon and several hundred animals were shipped in from Santa Barbara, Long Beach and other points.

The colors used in indicating prize-winners are: First, yellow; second, pink; third, blue; special, white.

According to the official figures 1052 hares of all descriptions are on exhibition. Of this number 200 are entered in competitive classes.

The special prizes and others not awarded last night will be announced this morning.

None of the exhibits will leave the hall until the close of tonight's concert by the St. Elmo Colored Glee Club.

Soudanese Mutiny is Serious.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—A special dispatch from Cairo says the mutiny of Soudanese troops at Khartoum has assumed serious proportions, and is causing great anxiety.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

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The members of Stanton Post, No. 55, G.A.R., and Stanton, W.R.C., No. 16, gave an appropriate entertainment last evening in honor of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln at the hall of those organizations on Fifth street, which was attended by a large audience. A. E. Davis, Commander of Stanton Post, presided as master of ceremonies, and the meeting opened with a bugle call by O. T. Thomas, and an instrumental selection, "The White Squadron," by a quartette composed of the Misses Knudson and the Misses DeWitt, after which Mr. Davis delivered an opening address, in which he referred to the objects of the meeting, and gave an interesting account of his visit to the home and tomb of Lincoln at Springfield, Ill., last summer, and related many incidents in the life of the martyred President.

After a whistling solo by Miss McComas and a vocal solo, "Because of Thee," by Miss Fellows, Ex-Gov. Lionel A. Sheldon delivered the address of the evening, prefacing his remarks with an allusion to the comrades of the G.A.R. and ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps. He contrasted Lincoln with many of the noted characters in the world's history, and stated that the records of the world showed no instance where there was the attachment for a commander such as the Union army showed for Lincoln. He also gave an epitome of the stirring times when the call of "300,000 more" was made, of incidents connected with his campaign for the Presidency, the debates with Stephen A. Douglass, of his wise foresight in surrounding himself, when President, with the best men in the United States for members of his Cabinet.

He pronounced Lincoln a man of infinite jest, but with a sacredness of heart, and characterized him as a clever diplomat and a tremendous lawyer, who, while not possessed of the eloquence of Webster, could yet puncture the pith of things. In concluding, the speaker said: "The world can never excel his utterances at Gettysburg. If there ever was a great man, Abraham Lincoln was one; in any walk or station he was the equal of any man who ever lived. It is to be deplored that his birthday has not been more generally celebrated before this. Lincoln's literature is equal to anything in the world's history."

After the rendition of the "Alicia March" by the quartette, Tom Barnes rendered "Matilda Jane," and indulged in a humorous monologue. Prof. J. A. Foshay sang "The Sword of Bunker Hill," and in response to an encore sang "Somebody's Mother." Ex-Gov. Gosper gave a number of interesting incidents in the life of Lincoln at the time when he saw him, in his review of the troops and afterward at the White House, and also gave an account of his courtship with Miss Todd, who afterward became his wife.

After the singing of "We are Coming, Father Abraham," by Lot Abraham, the meeting resolved itself into an "experience" meeting, during which numerous remarks were made, and the ladies' quartette rendered two more selections.

Camera Club Meets.

The members of the Los Angeles Camera Club held an enthusiastic meeting last evening at the Chamber of Commerce. It was decided to make the next outing trip on Sunday, the 18th inst. San Gabriel Mission will be the objective point, and several other points of interest will be visited. An invitation was received from the ostrich farm, extending courtesies to members of the club on Washington's birthday. An artistic souvenir, arranged by Mrs. H. H. Douglas and Charles Fuller Gates, was distributed to members of the club. Other matters of interest were discussed and addresses on the camera and lenses were made by members of the club. Fred Knopf furnished a musical selection.

Said He Was Slugged.

Angel Romero, a well-known Spanish interpreter, was taken to the Receiving Hospital at 2 o'clock this morning, covered with blood and suffering from a long gash in the back of the head. He was found lying on the street at Fourth and Broadway, and the patrol wagon was summoned. He declared at the Police Station that he had been assaulted by two men, but a private policeman, who summoned the wagon, said Romero had fallen while drunk and had injured himself.

Riots on Island of Martinique.

FORT DE FRANCE (Martinique,) Feb. 9.—[By Haytien Cable.] A mob of 1200 miners have since Monday been preventing the harvesting of sugar cane. The movement is extending, and troops have been sent in all directions. An infantry post of twenty-five men was attacked and fired on its assailants, killing nine men and wounding fourteen. In the commune of Le Francois, two incendiary fires have occurred on plantations.

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Who will buy up this great opportunity for saving souls? The situation demands haste.

Yours in His name,
LILIAN E. MARKS.

ANNUAL BANQUET.

SENATOR-ELECT BARD TO BE GUEST OF HONOR.

Hon. Thomas R. Bard, United States Senator-elect, has accepted an invitation to be present at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce, February 22, and will be the guest of honor. It is expected that he will make a brief address. Another distinguished guest on that occasion will be Hon. Irving M. Scott of San Francisco, builder of the battleship Oregon, who has also accepted an invitation to be present, and it is expected will respond to the toast, "The Oregon; the Modern Type of Battleship." The subjects of other toasts for the occasion are "Our President," "Washington's Birthday," "Commercial Resources and Position of Southern California," "The Chamber of Commerce."

An invitation has been extended to Peter F. Dunne, author of the celebrated "Dooley" papers, to be present at the banquet. Mr. Dunne is now visiting in Los Angeles.

The banquet will be held at the Woman's Clubhouse, No. 940 South Figueroa street. The idea of holding it in the Woman's Clubhouse is a unique feature. Since it will be held on February 22, the banquet will serve the two-fold purpose of celebrating the eleventh year of the existence of the chamber, as well as the anniversary of the birth of Washington.

Tickets for the banquet will be sold only to members, but any member has the privilege of buying a ticket for a friend who is visiting in the city. The Banquet Committee consists of F. Q. Story, John F. Francis, A. B. Cass, W. B. Cline and Gregory Perkins, Jr.

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA.

PRESIDENT WHEELER MAKING A TOUR IN THE EAST.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA (Berkeley,) Feb. 7.—President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California started east Monday on a flying journey to attend some important conferences, to consult with public men in Washington regarding legislation affecting the university, and to deliver a number of addresses.

After delivering an address at the dedication of the Perkins Memorial Hall of the Colorado College at Colorado Springs, he will go directly to Richmond, Va., where he is to deliver the Thomas lectures at Richmond College. Every year some distinguished scholar is invited to deliver a series of lectures on Greek life and literature at Richmond College, this being provided for by the Thomas endowment. On February 22, President Wheeler will deliver the annual address before the Johns Hopkins University, the address corresponding to that delivered by some distinguished man at Berkeley on charter day of each year. While in the East, Dr. Wheeler will visit Columbia University, and probably Harvard, to meet a number of men who have been mentioned as candidates for university positions.

He will visit Washington to confer with various members of the government concerning California interests, particularly those of the university in the lines of forestry and the school of commerce. The City Civic League of Chicago has asked President Wheeler to speak at a meeting under its auspices on Monday, February 26. His subject will be, "Present Educational Problems Facing the People of the United States." On the evening of March 1, he will deliver an address before the meeting of the superintendents of education of the United States.

At the conference of the leading universities of the country on the subject of uniform standards for the higher degrees which is to be held in the Haskell Museum of the University of Chicago, beginning February 27, the University of California will be represented by President Wheeler and Prof. A. O. Leuschner, director of the Students' Observatory. This conference, which was first proposed by the University of California, promises to be of high usefulness in raising the dignity of the American doctorate.

The celebrated archaeologist, Dr. Alfred Emerson, for the past two years professor of art and archaeology in the American School of Classical Studies in Athens, will arrive in Berkeley about the close of February. He will be connected for a time with the work of the university. Although his primary purpose is to advise with Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, concerning the plans for collections in art and archaeology for the university and the formation of an art department, Dr. Emerson will deliver lectures partly in connection with the university extension department and partly in the university proper.

During the coming summer session the University of California will offer a more varied range of courses than in any previous summer school. The work in history and political science will be especially emphasized, but an attractive list of courses will also be offered in pedagogy, English, Latin, mathematics, chemistry, physics and botany.

Mrs. Charles J. Gedge of Carpinteria has presented to the university library some forty volumes of philological literature. The gift includes a number of rare works. The relatives of the late Gov. Henry H. Haight, who signed the charter of the university in 1868, have presented a marble bust of Gov. Haight to the university library.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

John G. Capron of San Diego filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. Liabilities consisting of notes and judgments amounting to $49,008.80, together with accrued interest, are admitted, and the resources are stated to consist of $200 in irrigation company stock and personal clothing.

Highland Park Notes.

The baseball team, Charles Bozata, captain, and John Newkirk, manager, is practicing for a match game with the Throop team next Wednesday.

John Parsons, State secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, visited the college Tuesday.

The freshmen and sophomores had a picnic in Devil's Gate Cañon last Saturday.

Twenty new volumes of history have been added to the Lucy Gordan Memorial Library by Dr. and Mrs. Gordon.

Fresno County's Exhibit.

The Chamber of Commerce exhibit from Fresno county arrived yesterday and is being put in place on the east side of the exhibit room. It is quite large, filling more than one-fourth of a car. The principal article comprising the exhibit is fruit, both dried and in glass.

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[The following quotations on sales of citrus fruits in the East yesterday have been wired exclusively to The Times, and hence it is impossible for them to be published simultaneously in any other journal. When so published, they are simply pirated from this paper.]

ORANGES IN THE EAST YESTERDAY

NEW YORK MARKET STRONG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Forty-two cars of California oranges were advertised for sale today, but on account of a heavy fog early in the morning several cars were delayed and only thirty-six cars were sold. Lower prices were predicted before the sale commenced, but the first car sold showed a strong market, and prices continued firm throughout the sale. There are now on the track and due thirty-eight cars, and as there will be no sale until Tuesday (Monday, Lincoln's birthday, being a legal holiday,) fruit purchased today should be well cleaned up, and the sale Tuesday should show good results.

Extra fancy navels, regular sizes, sold at 1.10@4.15; average, 2.62; small sizes, 95@2.25; average, 2.03; fancy, regular sizes, 2.05@3.95; average, 2.49; small sizes, 1.75@2.30; average, 1.95; half-boxes, 1.70@2.00; average, 1.80; choice, regular sizes, 1.85@2.85; average, 2.18; small sizes, 1.55@2.05; average, 1.80; three standard, regular sizes, 1.35@2.35; average, 1.72; small sizes, 1.35@1.85, average, 1.67; extra fancy seedlings, regular sizes, 1.55@1.90; average, 1.76; small sizes, 1.55@1.85; average, 1.60; fancy regular sizes, 1.50@1.75; average, 1.65; small sizes, 1.45@1.80; average, 1.61; choice, regular sizes, 1.35@1.65; average, 1.60; small sizes, 1.45@1.70; average, 1.48; standard, regular sizes, 1.35@1.50; average, 1.44; extra fancy Mediterranean Sweets, regular sizes, 1.65@1.95; average, 1.75; small sizes, 1.60@1.65; average, 1.63; fancy, regular and small sizes, 1.65; choice, regular sizes, 1.50@1.60; average, 1.55; standard, regular sizes, 1.50@1.60; average, 1.55; small sizes, 1.40@1.55; average, 1.43; fancy California Floridas, small size, 1.80@1.85; average, 1.84; choice small sizes, 1.55@1.75; average, 1.66; extra fancy bloods, boxes, 2.25@3.25; averaged, 2.59; choice ruby bloods, half-boxes, 1.30@1.45; average, 1.33; fancy grape fruit, boxes, 4.00@6.25; average, 4.30; halves, 2.50@3.00; average, 2.75; fancy Tangerines, half-boxes, 1.75@2.37; average, 2.07; quarter-boxes, 90@1.25; average, 1.09; fancy Mandarins, half-boxes, 1.37@3.12; average, 2.39; Jamaica oranges, barrels, 3.37@3.50; grape fruit, boxes, 3.50@6.50.

Boston Market Weaker.

BOSTON, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There were twenty-one cars of California oranges offered at auction today; twenty were sold, and one was withdrawn. It has rained most of the time the past two days. The market was a little weaker today on ordinary and small fruit trade. There was very little change on better grades. Desirable-sized seedlings sold quite a little lower today, partly on account of the quality of the offerings. Seedlings are not wanted unless they are extra fancy. Only a limited amount of seedlings can be placed while navels are plenty. Arrivals were lighter today, although there are forty-five cars on the track still unsold. This will be about all that can be sold to advantage here before the last of next week.

Fancy navels, regulars, sold at 2.05@3.55; average, 2.49; small offs, 1.90@2.55; average, 2.14; choice navels, 1.63@3.00; average, 2.28; small offs, 1.20@2.20; average 1.96; standard navels, regular, 1.70@2.00; average, 1.90; small offs, 1.65@1.85; average, 1.77; extra fancy seedlings, average, 1.75; small offs, 1.48; fancy seedlings, regular, average, 1.50; small, 1.46; choice seedlings, regulars, average, 1.46; small offs, 1.49; standard lemons, 1.90; extra fancy grape fruit, half-boxes, 2.00; fancy grape fruit, boxes, average, 3.89; half-boxes, 1.85; choice, average, 3.64; fancy Mandarins, half-boxes, 1.39; thirty Tangerines, half-boxes, average, 2.05; quarter-boxes, 1.11; choice Tangerines, half-boxes, 2.56; fancy ruby bloods, half-boxes; average, 1.93.

Advance at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twelve cars of California oranges were sold at auction here today. This was a smaller offering than the trade expected, and as most of the fruit was up to grade, and in good condition, there was another slight advance in prices. The weather was favorable. The sale was well attended and bidding lively. Indications are that offerings will be very heavy on Monday, and if so no advance can be expected.

Prices today were as follows: Extra fancy navels, regular sizes, 2.30@3.00; average, 2.60; small sizes, 2.10@2.30; average, 2.23; fancy navels, regular sizes, 2.25@2.90; average, 2.52; small sizes, 2.10@2.35; average, 2.22; choice navels, regular sizes, 2.05@2.70; average, 2.32; small sizes, 1.95@2.30; average, 2.09; fancy seedlings, regular sizes, 1.45@1.85; average, 1.75; small sizes, 1.55@1.90; average, 1.87; choice seedlings, regular sizes, 1.25@1.65; average, 1.51.

FINANCIAL.

EASTERN STOCK MARKET. For a few days at the close of last week the eastern stock market was very dull and weak. Since then the market has quite recovered its tone. Money is easy there.

ENGLISH DEALINGS IN SILVER. Although England produces no silver, and her colonies but little, London handles a large part of the silver of the world. Last year the exports from that city amounted in value to $69,500,000. Of this, $28,000,000 went to India, $14,500,000 to Russia and $10,700,000 to China.

COMMERCIAL.

LOOK OUT FOR LENT. Wednesday, February 28, is the first day of Lent. From that to April 15, Easter day, the grocer will sell more of certain foods than at any other time. Fish heads this list. Cured fish in several forms are now to be had cheaper than meats, cured or fresh. Farinaceous foods will also be used in larger quantity. The demand for eggs will be greatly increased. A line of goods to sell in Lent is fruit, preserved or canned, and also fruit jams. Get your stocks well "sorted up," as printers say, and make a good display of your goods. You cannot do it too quickly.

GOOD ADVICE. Home patronage for home industries is what is claimed necessary to develop Louisville's trade, says Bradstreet's, which, by the way, reached unparalleled proportions in 1899. Iron and steel, its branches, wood working, cotton and woolen goods, along with general clothing, jeans, leather and saddlery and tobacco are some of the important lines that shared in the prosperity of the year. To further develop its trade and the morale of its inhabitants, the Louisville Board of Trade, through its Manufacturers' Committee, Charles F. Huhlein, chairman, suggests that the savings banks of the city make special offers to the wage earners of the city to place some part of their weekly or monhly wages in savings institutions.

COFFEE FIRMER. Package coffee is again up 50 cents per 100 pounds.

SHODDY CLOTHING. An increase in the manufacture and use of shoddy is looked for by the American Wool and Cotton reporter, because of the high price of wool. Workmen get used to low-priced, just as good looking as the best, goods, and though wages may be better, it is a notorious fact that but little of the extra wages goes for clothes.

COTTON. According to Secretary Hester of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, the total cotton brought into sight for January was 948,479 bales, against 1,189,983 in 1899, and 1,388,394 in 1898. From September 1 to the close of January, receipts at all United States ports were 4,779,977 bales, against 6,803,084 last year; overland, across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers, 917,004 bales, against 981,430 last year; southern mill takings, exclusive of consumption at southern outports, 717,045 bales, against 655,845, and interior stocks in excess of those held at the commencement of the season, 435,412 bales, against 455,173. The total amount of the cotton crop brought into sight during the five months ending at the close of January is 6,851,438 bales, against 8,895,532 last year. Foreign exports for the first five months of the season have been 3,332,531 bales, a decrease under last season of 1,909,770. Stocks at the seaboard and the leading twenty-nine southern interior markets at the close of January were 1,900,850 bales, against 1,678,040 last year. Including stock left over at ports and interior towns from the previous season, and the number of bales of the current crop brought into sight during the five months, the supply has been 7,470,336 bales, against 9,163,098 last year and 8,801,481 the year before.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

TRADE CONDITIONS. R. G. Dun & Co.'s monthly review of trade conditions for January in Southern California says:

For the first time in nearly thirteen years clearances of banks of the whole country show a decrease from the year before. This is due to dullness in stock speculations, and cannot be taken as showing any large falling-off in trade. New business for manufactures for the month was light, but when hair the work for the whole year has been ordered in advance, the same activity in buying cannot be looked for. In work turned out, the past month probably surpasses all others. Distributive trade has been satisfactory, shipments from long centers being much heavier than in January a year ago. Cereals are a little dull, prices soft. Raw cotton is strong, and the finer woods reach the highest price in twenty years.

In our immediate district activity in field, orchard and new business enterprises shows confidence in the new year. Every acre of tillable land is being utilized to some product. As to grain, the ranchers would like some, although the grain crops are not suffering yet, and can stand it dry for some little time yet without injury.

The citrus grower is busy harvesting, marketing and arranging for transportation one of the finest crops ever grown in Southern California. Active demand has caused unusual shipments of oranges. For the period November 1 to February 1 it is estimated 50 per cent. more fruit has been sent forward than for the same period in 1897-98, the season of the largest shipments previously. About one-third of the crop is marketed. This showing is encouraging for good prices for balance, which can be sent on steadily without rush. The crop is uniformly good in quality.

Lemon crop conditions continue good. Barring accidents the crop now maturing will be of prime quality, and should yield an output of 2000 carloads. For the past two years the lemon trees have not produced half their capacity.

It is too early to say anything of prospects of deciduous orchards. The walnut buds are reported as setting unusually well.

The dried-fruit market is dull; prices continue steady. Beans have an upward tendency, and the rain holding off has made hay a trifle firmer.

Locally business conditions are satisfactory, money is in good demand. Local clearances did not contribute to national deficit, but rolled up a gain over the corresponding month of last year.

Oil operations in Southern California have been so encouraging and so much interest has been excited it looks now as if we were on the verge of a veritable oil boom.

Failures for January in our district were sixteen; liabilities, $20,500; assets, $9000; same month last year, fourteen; liabilities $53,500; assets, $37,000.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

LOS ANGELES MARKETS.

There is but little change in produce markets.

Poultry is slow for live, but in fair demand for eastern dressed.

Receipts of game yesterday were confined almost entirely to ducks and plover. The ducks were mostly spoonbills, and sold by the dozen at $2 to $2.50. The plover brought 75 cents to $1.

Eggs sold at 18½ to 19 cents for fresh local. Retailers naturally object to pay 19 cents when they sell at 20 cents.

Butter is lower in San Francisco. There is no great stock here, but holders, as a rule, are cautious of a weak market, and are disposed to keep stocks low. Sales of Coast are reported at 50 to 55 cents per square. Others felt more confidence in the market, and held for firm prices, getting 55 to 57½ cents for fair to good and 60 to 62½ cents for choice to fancy.

Provisions.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 11¼@11¾; fancy wrapped, 13¼; plain wrapped, 13; light medium —; medium, 9¾; Gilbert bacon, 10; Winchester, 11¼@12½; 45's or 12¾@13¼.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex brand, 13¼; Gilbert hams, 11; picnic, 8¾@9¼; boneless, 10; Winchester, 10¼@10¾; 40's or 12¼@12¾.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 9½; short clears, 8½; clear backs, 8¾.

PICKLED BEEF—Per lb. insides, 14¾.

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PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 14.00.

LARD—ePr lb. in tierces, Rex, pure leaf —; Ivory compound, 7¾; Suetene, 7¼; special little-rendered leaf lard, 8¼; Silver Leaf, 8¾.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@11c per lb. for poultry; ducks, 9@10; for turkeys, 12@14; geese, 8@10.

Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12½@14; strained, 7½@8¾.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 24@25.

Potatoes, Onions, Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per cental Burbanks, common to good, 1.10@1.25; Burbanks, choice to fancy, 1.30@1.50; Oregon and Nevada Burbanks, 1.50@1.60; new crop Hemet Burbanks, 1.60; sweet, 1.60@1.75.

ONIONS—Fancy, 2.25.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 85; cabbage, 90@1.00; carrots, 85 cwt.; green chiles, 7 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 60@65; lettuce, per doz., 20@30; parsnips, 80@1.00 per cwt., green peas 2½@4; radishes, per doz. bunches, 15@20; string beans, 6@7; turnips, 75 per cwt.; garlic, 7@9; tomatoes, 1.50@1.75; summer squash, per box, 85@1.00; celery, per doz., 40@50; squash, per lb., 1½@1¾; cauliflower, per doz., 40@50.

Hides, Wool and Tallow.

HIDES—Dry and sound, 17 per lb.; culls, 15; kip, 15; calf, 17; bulls, 7@9.

WOOL—Spring, 6@8; fall, 4@6.

TALLOW—Per lb., No. 1, 4½@5; No. 2, 4@4½.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 1.05.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.45@1.50.

CORN—1.10.

HAY—New barley, 11.00@12.50; alfalfa, 9.50@9.50; loose, 9.00@10.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.30.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@5.25.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.25 for prime steers; 3.00@3.75 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 3.50@4.00; ewes, 3.00@3.50; lambs, 2.50@2.75.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 18½@19; eastern, standard, 14@16.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 60@62½; southern creamery, 60; dairy, 50@55; Coast creamery, 50@55.

CHEESE—Per lb., eastern, full cream, 14@14½; Coast, full cream, 13; Anchor, 13½; Downey, 13½; Young America, 14½; 3-lb. hand, 15½; domestic Swiss, 16@17; imported Swiss, 26@27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.00@9.50.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, cured, 1.75@2.00; uncured, 1.00.

ORANGES—Per box, seedlings, 1.00@1.25; new navels, 2.00@2.25.

LIMES—Per 100, 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 2.50@5.50.

STRAWBERRIES—Fancy, 25@30; common, 15@17½.

APPLES—Per box, 1.50@1.65.

PEARS—Winter Nellis, per box, 1.50@1.75.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.00@2.50.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 2.50@7.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 2.50@3.50.

PERSIMMONS—Per lb., 8@10.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.50; Lake of the Woods, eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 4.25; other brands, 5.00@5.50; Oregon, 3.60@3.80; graham flour, 1.75 per cwt.

FEED STUFFS—Bran, per ton, 20.00; rolled barley, 21.00; cracked corn, 1.10 per cwt.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7@7½.

VEAL—Per lb., 7@9.

MUTTON—Per lb., 8@8½; lamb, 9@10.

PORK—Per lb., 8.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.50; London Layers, per box, 2.00@2.25; loose, 6@6½ per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 7@9.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@10; apricots, 12@15; peaches, fancy, 8@9; choice, 6@8½; pears, fancy evaporated, 12@13; plums, unpitted, 10@11; prunes, choice, 5; fancy, 5½; dates 4@9; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 4; California, 4-crown layers, per lb., 10@12; imported Smyrna, 22½@25.

NUTS—Walnuts, paper-shells, 13; fancy soft-shells, 12; hardshells, 9@10; almonds, soft-shells, 16½@17; paper-shells, 17@17½; hardshells, 10@11; pecans, 10@15; filberts, 13@14; Brazils, 9@10; pinons, 8@9; peanuts, eastern, raw, 6½@7; roasted, 7½@8; California, 6@6½, roasted.

Beans.

BEANS—Per 100 lbs., small white, 2.50@3.75; Lady Washington, 3.25@3.50; pinks, 3.15@3.50; Limas, 5.50@6.00.

STATE OF TRADE.

BRADSTREET'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"The strength of staples and particularly those of agricultural origin is the leading feature this week at least. In general trade weather conditions have not favored a large distribution, but comparisons with a year ago are still quite favorable. Enlarged population is reflected in increased clearings and comparisons with last year are again encouraging, while gains over years previous to 1899 are very marked.

"Provisions have been quite strong throughout the week and active demand is responsible for higher prices of pork and lard in the face of larger receipts of hogs at primary markets. The strength of the raw sugar position has been further increased this week by bullish reports from European beet markets and the continued reduction that receipts of cane sugars are apt to be light in the future.

"Refined grades have been strong, partly owing to the strength of raws and partly to the shutting down of a number of refineries. Coffee steadily advanced, the result of continued small shipments from Brazil and good consumptive demand here. Hides and leather are firmly maintained, though reports from the boot and shoe trade of current business are not very good. Fine grades of wool are quiet, but there is still an urgent demand for medium grades and quarter bloods sell better, considerable imported wools having changed hands in eastern markets. Reports from the wool trade continue favorable to a high degree and firm or higher prices are regarded as a certainty for the future.

"Unfavorable weather has affected distribution in the most sections this week, but mail orders have been of fair size and the spring trade outlook continues unimpaired.

"Wheat, including flour, shipments for the week aggregate 2,285,257 bushels, against 2,724,937 bushels last week, 5,580,500 bushels in the corresponding week of 1899, 3,419,500 bushels in 1898, 2,561,345 bushels in 1897 and 2,718,891 bushels in 1896.

"Since July 1 this season the exports of wheat aggregate 123,012,322 bushels, against 156,599,159 bushels last year, and 133,649,597 bushels in 1897-98.

"Business failures in the United States for the week number 231, as compared with 171 last week, 193 in this week a year ago, 278 in 1898, 205 in 1897, and 331 in 1896.

"Canadian failures for the week number 25, as compared with 31 last week, 38 in this week a year ago, 51 in 1898, 54 in 1897, and 70 in 1896."

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended February 8, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,140,970,617	....	4.0
Boston	122,208,003	11.7	....
Chicago	133,807,693	41.9	....
Philadelphia	88,186,196	....	1.9
St. Louis	32,044,204	6.6	....
San Francisco	20,057,000	21.3	....
Baltimore	20,691,472	....	9.0
San Francisco	17,290,052	6.7	....
Cincinnati	16,126,450	19.4	....
Kansas City	13,731,944	29.8	....
Minneapolis	9,415,082	4.0	.8
Detroit	7,610,254	....	3.9
Cleveland	10,552,531	2.5	....
Louisville	11,174,081	43.7	....
Providence	6,671,800	9.1	....
Milwaukee	5,923,192	....	6.5
St. Paul	4,125,243	....	6.5
Buffalo	4,840,329	....	15.3
Omaha	6,313,888	18.7	....
Indianpolis	4,722,500	12.8	....
Columbus, O.	4,365,518	123.2	....
Savannah	4,829,425	57.8	....
Denver	2,570,057	1.7	....
Hartford	3,747,636	....	1.0
Richmond	3,158,645	52.1	....
Memphis	2,606,306	16.2	....
Washington	2,153,201	7.5	....
Peoria	2,909,481	52.6	....
New Haven	1,513,154	....	19.2
Worcester	1,287,552	....	14.0
Atlanta	2,290,318	37.1	....
Salt Lake City	1,795,697	....	12.2
Springfield, Mass.	1,649,129	3.2	....
Fort Worth	1,645,985	....	21.9
Portland, Me.	1,658,482	33.5	....
Portland, Or.	1,845,067	2.2	....
St. Joseph	3,755,130	47.0	....
Los Angeles	2,159,635	25.7	....
Norfolk	1,717,696	79.9	....
Syracuse	1,018,209	....	....
Des Moines	1,330,762	8.1	....
Nashville	1,681,353	21.7	....
Wilmington, Del.	979,600	24.0	....
Fall River	1,006,721	1.9	....
Lincoln	1,004,963	27.4	....
Grand Rapids	1,174,854	22.8	....
Augusta, Ga.	1,414,288	82.4	....
Lowell	540,340	....	21.2
Dayton, O.	1,002,561	4.7	....
Seattle	1,877,570	36.4	....
Tacoma	1,025,580	55.5	....
Spokane	1,035,766	8.1	....
Sioux City	1,020,583	19.5	....
Galveston	7,944,000	27.4	....
Houston	8,408,791	....	....
Totals for the United States	$1,507,583,776	....	.8

Bradstreet's Financial Review.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Bradstreet's Financial Review tomorrow will say:

"Irregularity prevailed in the movement of quotations during the past week, though the stock market was on the whole strong and inclined to advance up to Friday, when a reaction set in. Easy conditions continue in the money market, although this is shown more by the volume of offerings of funds than by any further relaxation in actual rates. Many tenders consider that with the large demands for accommodation by merchants and manufacturers and with the April disbursements sure to be encountered no further declines in rates are justified. The money market, however, had offered no obstacle to the resumption of activity in speculation and the fact that industrial securities of good quality are accepted with freedom where they form a reasonable proportion of the collateral for loans has had considerable influence in stimulating an improvement in that portion of the general list.

"The market has been decidedly more active. At the same time the trading continues to be in the hands of a professional kind. Pools and large operators have made their presence felt by taking various portions of the list on hand and in some instances, have from time to time taken profits in stocks which were put up when the movement began a fortnight or so back. This was particularly shown in the steel and other industrials, the tendency toward the close of the week was decidedly heavy on extensive realising sales. Commission houses have been more active, but the public appetite for speculation, though decidedly better than it was, has by no means reached the proportion which it presented before the December break in the market. On the other hand, London shows a disposition to buy American stocks. Money is easier in all the European markets and the readiness of the foreign public to speculate seems to be finding an outlet to our stocks, with a result that on several days of the week the foreign purchases here ranged from 1000 to 1500 shares.

"The fact that there was no news of further British reverses and that London even entertained expectations of better results in connection with the war in South Africa, removed from the moment much feeling of uncertainty that prevailed as to the course of the foreign markets in that connection and has enabled Wall street to give its undived attention to the favorable features of the home situation."

Dun's Weekly Review.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade will say tomorrow:

"The industries are still surpassing in actual output the work of any previous year. The new business is not correspondingly large nor could such orders be accepted by most industries if offered, but enough are coming to prevent stoppage of works or much decline in prices. In woolen goods new business of remarkable volume sustains a marked advance in prices and in other lines of importance as to machinery orders indicate a surprising foreign demand. Meanwhile though encouraged by the abundance and ease of money speculation does not in any direction as yet go without check far enough to do mischief. There is much of the speculative spirit abroad, but also more caution than is usually shown after a year of exceptional prosperity. Perhaps the war in Africa, with its possibilities of daily surprise was, in that respect, productive of good.

"No change of consequence yet appears in prices of wool, though the demand from spinners is limited and it is perceived that they had previously supplied themselves quite fully for heavy weight season for which they have taken very large orders. It is thought by some that enforced sales of foreign wool, which was withdrawn from the London sale in January, in order to prevent a greater decline may hereafter affect this market.

"Failures for the week were 245 in the United States against 217 last year, and 33 in Canada against 35 last year."

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—There seemed to be a complete withdrawal today of the general interest in the stock market which was so conspicuous a factor in the active trading of the early days of the week. Two days' reaction in prices served to discourage the outside demand and orders to commission houses fell to practically nothing. There was a continual dribble of realizing sales, and while the bears industriously pecked at the market here and there whenever they detected indications of realizing or long stock offered for sale. The most notable price movements were the speculative industrials and specialties. Late in the day on the report of a new British ironclad launched at Elswick, the bears made a determined raid on Sugar and Third Avenue, forcing them off an extreme 2¾, and 6¼ respectively. The general list failed to respond in any marked degree and support was accorded to the stocks attacked forcing the bears to cover. They made a final attempt against St. Paul, but the market closed generally firm and at rallies in the stocks which had been attacked, of from 1 to 2¾. The tone in the general list was listless and heavy for the greater part of the day and it was not generally affected either by the attack of the bears or the final rally. Losses reached a point in only a few stocks. American Tobacco was a conspicuous exception to the general weakness of the day, and after an early decline rallied strongly 3¼, closing at about the best. There was good demand for Erie first preferred, which carried it up at one time 1¾, most of the gain being lost. Much doubt exists as to the probable effect on this market of further British reverses in the South African war, and the confusion of the morning was clearly reflected in the movements. The forthcoming bank statement had too much to do with the disinclination to extend speculative commitments. The recent movement of funds from the subtreasury to the banks has been reversed and the latter institutions have lost on that account $685,000. The shipments of money to the interior have increased over last week, and the receipts have diminished so that the net gain on that account has been cut down to a little over $1,000,000. Allowing for the subtreasury absorptions, the week's gain in cash will therefore be insignificant. The liquidation of speculative profits in the stock exchange during the week may have relieved somewhat the pressure on the banks for credits. The call money market does not show any increased pressure for funds but the rates for time money were distinctly firmer in tone. Loans on exceptional collateral were made early in the week at 3½ per cent. for share periods but the minimum rate today was advanced to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange also hardened in sympathy with the discount rate here in London. The rather violent break in the prices of cotton on speculative liquidation probably had some sympathetic effect in the stock market.

Business in the bond market fell off considerably, and price changes were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,805,000. United States bonds were unchanged in bid quotations.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	20¾	Union Pacific	49¾
Atchison pfd	67¾	Union Pacific pfd	79¾
Baltimore & Ohio	61¾	Wabash	7¾
Canadian Pacific	96½	Wabash 5fd	20¾
Canada Southern	49¾	Wabash pfd	37¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	27¾	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	27¾
Chicago G. W.	14	Wis. Central	19
C., B. & Quincy	124¾	Express Co's—	
C. & A.	107	Adams	115
C. I. & L. pfd	47	American	147
C. & E. Illinois	92	United States	140
Chicago & N. W.	161	Wells-Fargo	123
C. R. I. & Pacific	108¾	Miscellaneous—	
C. C. C. & St. L.	69¾	Am. Cot. Oil	34½
Colorado Southern	6¾	Am. Cot. Oil pfd	94
Colo. So. 1st pfd	43	Am. Malting	6
Colo. So. 2d pfd	15	Am. Malting pfd	27
Del. & Hudson	141½	Am. S. & R.	41½
D. L. & Western	177	Am. S. & R. pfd	90¾
Denver & R. G.	19¾	Am. Spirits	2
D. & R. G. pfd	71	Am. Spirits pfd	17
Erie	12¾	Am. Steel Hoop	47¼
Erie 1st pfd	36¾	Am. S. H. pfd	84¼
Great N. pfd	168½	Am. Steel & Wire	27¾
Hocking Coal	15	Am. S. & W. pfd	93¾
Hocking Valley	24	Am. Tin Plate	34
Illinois Central	112½	Am. Tin P. pfd	92½
Iowa Central	12	Am. Tobacco	108¾
Iowa Cen. pfd	54½	Am. Tob. pfd	125
L. & N.	61¾	Anaconda M. Co.	44¾
Lake Erie & W.	20¾	Brooklyn R. T.	73¼
L. E. & W. pfd	84	Colo. Fuel & I.	45¾
Lake Shore	194	Cont'l Tobacco	24¾
Louis. & Nash.	80¾	Cont'l Tob. pfd	85½
Manhattan L.	97½	Federal Steel	55½
Met. St. Ry.	177¾	Federal S. pfd	75
Mexican Central	12	Gen. Electric	126
Minn. & St. L.	63¼	Glucose Sugar	55¾
M. & St. L. pfd	93	Glucose Sugar pfd	98¾
Missouri Pacific	46¾	Int'l Paper	24
Mobile & Ohio	44½	Int'l Paper pfd	68
M., K. & Texas	10¾	Laclede Gas	76
M., K. & T. pfd	23½	Nat'l Biscuit	38
N. J. Central	117	Nat'l B. pfd	94½
N. Y. Central	134¾	Nat'l Lead	26½
Norfolk & Western	28¾	Nat'l Lead pfd	109½
N. & W. pfd	72	Nat'l Steel	49¾
Northern Pacific	53¼	Nat'l Steel pfd	94
North. Pac. pfd	74¼	N. Y. Air Brake	139
Ontario & W.	23¾	North American	14¼
Or. Ry. & Nav.	42	Pacific Coast	81
Or. R. & N. pfd	76	Pacific Coast 1st	93
Pennsylvania	132½	P. C. 2d pfd	63¼
Reading	18¾	Pacific Mail	41
Reading 1st pfd	56	People's Gas	107¾
Reading 2d pfd	28¾	P. Steel Car	55½
Rio Grande W.	42	P. S. Car pfd	87½
R. G. W. pfd	84	Pull. Palace Car	188
St. Louis & S. F.	10¾	Standard R. & T.	88
St. L. 1st pfd	63¼	Sugar	119¾
St. L. 2d pfd	35¾	Sugar pfd	113
St. L. S. W.	11	Tenn. Coal & I.	96
St. L. S. W. pfd	27	U. S. Leather	16¾
St. Paul	132¾	U. S. L. pfd	76
St. Paul pfd	172	U. S. Rubber	37¼
St. Paul & O.	118	U. S. R. pfd	101¼
Southern Pacific	38¾	Western Union	83¾
Southern Ry.	12¾	Republic I. & S.	24¾
So. Railway pfd	68¾	R. I. & S. pfd	68¾
Texas & Pacific	16¾	P. C. C. & St. L.	68

Total sales, 402,100 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. 2s reg	102½	N. Y. C. 1sts	110
U. S. 2s reg	109¾	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	123¾
U. S. 2s coup	109¾	N. C. 6s	127
U. S. 4s reg	134	N. C. 4s	106
U. S. 4s coup	134	Nor. & Western 6s	130
U. S. old 4s reg	114¾	N. P. 4s	104½
U. S. old 4s coup	114¾	N. Y. C. & St. L.	107¾
U. S. 5s reg	112¾	N. & W. Con. 4s	95¾
U. S. 5s coup	112¾	N. & W. Gen. 6s	120
D. of C. 3.65s	118	Or. Nav. 1sts	110
Atchison, Gen. 4s	101	Or. Nav. 4s	101½
Atchison, Adj. 4s	83¼	Or. S. L. 6s	127¼
Can. So. 2ds	109½	Or. S. L. Con. 5s	114
C. & O. 6½s	90½	Reading, 1sts	85¾
C. & O. 5s	119¼	R. G. W. 1sts	96
C. & N. W. 7s	140¾	St. L. & I. M. 5s	111¾
C. & N. W. 5s	119	St. L. & S. F. 6s	122
Chicago Ter. 4s	93¾	St. Paul Consols	167¾
D. & R. G. 1sts	102¾	St. P., C. & P. 1s	119½
D. & R. G. 4s	89½	St. P., C. & P. 5s	120½
East Tennessee	101½	So. Railway 5s	108¾
Erie Gen. 4s	71	S. R. & T. 6s	90
Fort Worth	71	Tenn. N. & S. 5s	95
Gen. Elec. 5s	117	T. & P. 1sts	113½
G. H. & S. A. 6s	107	T. & P. 2ds	75
G. H. & S. A. 2½s	107	Union Pacific 4s	104½
H. & T. C. 5s	110	Wabash 1sts	116½
H. & T. Con. 6s	110¾	Wabash 2ds	90¾
Iowa Cen. 1sts	113	West Shore 4s	114½
K. C. F. & G. 1sts	73¾	Wis. Cen. 1sts	91¾
La. N. C. 4s	106½	Virginia Centuries	85¾
L. & N. U. 4s	90½	Virginia Centuries 2ds	5
M. K. & T. 2ds	66¼	Colo. & So. 4s	84
M. K. & T. 4s	92¾	Southern Pac. 4s	83¾

*Offered.

London Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "This was a day of adverse war rumors in the market here and falling prices restricted business. Consols closed 101¼ on the news of Gen. MacDonald's retirement, it being apprehended that his reinforcements had been intercepted. Paris was disturbed by the report from Boer sources that Gen. Buller had again been driven across the Tugela. The continued talk of mutiny of the Egyptian forces caused an uneasy feeling and wild hints were current today that the Eighth Army Division had been sent to Egypt instead of Africa. Not one of these rumors was confirmed. Americans were steady till afternoon, when London sold freely in the midst of the general unrest. New York took Erie first preferred, leaving the rest of the list lower. Money was scarcer than it has been, but for bills there was only small application."

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Wis. Central	19
Call loans	3½@4	Dominion Coal	43
Time loans	4@5	Dom. Coal pfd	116
Stocks—		Bonds—	
A., T. & S. F.	20¾	Atchison	99½
Atchison pfd	67¾	Mining shares—	
Am. Sugar	119½	Adventure	5
Am. Sugar pfd	113½	Allouez M. Co.	1
Bell Telephone	328	Atlantic	24
Boston & Albany	244	Boston & Mont.	280
Boston & Maine	198	Butte & Boston	62
C., B. & Quincy	124½	Calumet & Hecla	750
Ed. Elec. Ill.	203	Centennial	18½
Fitchburg pfd	122	Franklin	15
Federal Steel	55½	Osceola	73½
Federal S. pf

Southern California by Towns and Counties.

PASADENA.

NEW OUTCROPPINGS IN THE CITY POLITICAL CAMPAIGN.

Absent City Trustee Evidently Does Not Intend to Give Up His Seat—Attempt to Avert a Shake Up—Wedding That Stole a March on Society.

Dr. Nettleton Caught Again.

PASADENA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] The peculiar situation in which the Board of City Trustees is left by the absence of Trustee Edmund Lockett, who has gone out of business here, taken charge of an enterprise in Ocalinga, and is now Mayor of the hamlet of Lockettville, in the oil district, without having resigned his office as Trustee of Pasadena, occasions much discussion and complicates the municipal campaign. It was reported that Mr. Lockett would resign, and the popular supposition has been that three trustees would be elected in June; but Mr. Lockett has just been granted another leave of absence for sixty days by the Council, and evidently has no intention of resigning. One of the Trustees said tonight that the programme is to have Mr. Lockett retain his seat and call for an election of but two Trustees in April, extending Mr. Lockett's leave of absence as may be required. It is said that Mr. Lockett is not sure that his business in the Ocalinga region will be permanent, and he may return to Pasadena. If he is likely, however that there are political reasons for the aforesaid programme. Mr. Lockett is not in favor of making changes in the appointive offices, while his successor might join with Trustee Hoag and another in favor of an overturn. It is obvious that there will be less danger of a disturbance of present conditions with the new Trustees in the Council, in case a state is made by the nominating convention, than with three. There has been considerable canvassing of the situation problem today. The men in favor of municipal ownership are waking up, and the Prohibitionists are very active. All these elements are endeavoring to shape things for the Republican convention. The first faint murmurs were heard today of a combination of Democrats, silverites and "independents," similar to that effected two years ago, to oppose the Republican nominees.

SUCCESSFUL DEFENSE.

Judge Merriam and Constable Wallis are jubilant over the judge's success in knocking out all three of the counts in the suits of F. E. Simons for damages against Constable Hollowell, Deputy Wallis and the Security Company in the Los Angeles courts today, the court sustaining Merriam's demurrer.

The judge says Simons's attorney may take either horn of the dilemma he chooses. Either Wallis was trying to arrest Simons when he ejected him from the North Pasadena political rally, and therefore Simons was guilty of insulting an officer (a penitentiary offense), or Wallis was not making an arrest, but merely driving Simons away from the meeting, as any private citizen might, and hence the Constable, under whom Wallis is deputy, is not liable. As a matter of fact Simons was removed from the meeting, but the fact was not made till afterward

MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

Thirty physicians attended the meeting of the Pasadena Medical Society this evening. They had a lively discussion and pronounced Pasadena a pretty good town in some respects. Drs. Howard and Wills of Los Angeles, Dr. Bracket of Minneapolis and Dr. Millard of Chicago (Mr. Armour's physician) took part in the meeting. A permanent library committee was appointed, to take particular charge of the medical library presented to the society by Dr. J. Q. Adams, formerly of Pasadena, now at the Soldiers' Home. The doctors propose to have a separate room for these works.

HEAT FOR THE KINDERGARTEN.

A day's happiness was provided for the free public kindergarten by J. M. Smith, who gave thirty-six little children and half a dozen mothers a ride to the poppy fields on a big hay wagon, taking the teachers along too. It was a merry excursion. One mother had lived in Pasadena many years, but a lot of children, never had visited the poppy fields before. The kindergarten is accomplishing all that its originators anticipated, and is making a heart lighter.

PREHISTORIC RELIC.

A remarkable discovery was made today by Thaddeus Lowe, who has charge of the construction crew on Raymond Hill, in the ground under the site of the brick building at the foot of Raymond Hill, he discovered a part of the fossilized remains of a gigantic animal or reptile. Scientists who have examined it are undecided whether it was an appurtenance of a megatherium or an ichthyosaur, or whether the strata in which the bone was found belonged to the Eocene or Cretaceous period. Mr. Lowe probably will send it to the Smithsonian Institution for identification.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette addressed the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon on the subject of "Woman's Work," suggesting that, although all power comes from God, it is not necessary to be about with a bible in one's hand to be constantly preaching, in order to be good. She spoke of the opportunities of woman's clubs, and particularly to the help to be given by the club women in the near future, to turn over lands to industrial schools on which they may be taught their sustenance.

The meeting of the directors of the Tournament Club was held this afternoon, at which it was voted to turn over the club house to the Pasadena Hospital, for use till the club may need it for its own purposes. There are a lot of chairs and tables which have been stored for the club, and will now serve a good purpose in the hospital has been doing a rushing business, and it has been necessary to employ extra nurses. A member of the board of management says that ladies on the House Committee are harder than any men in town.

A. C. Crafton and Miss Elizabeth Hubbard, both of this city, were married at All Saints' Church this afternoon by Rev. William MacCormack. The affair was quiet though noteworthy wedding, and took society completely by surprise, as the arrangements were unannounced until the last moment. They will reside on Orange Grove avenue.

A. G. Nettleton was arrested today on North Los Robles avenue for driving a team unhitched, by City Marshal Lacey. This is the third time Nettleton has been the victim of this practice. He pays about $5 a year for the privilege.

The trustees of the Universalist State Convention of California, whose headquarters are in this city, have decided to hold the convention at Santa Paula, May 11, 12 and 13. It was held in this city last year.

Roadmaster Manning is employing sixteen teams repairing the county highway between Lamanda and Sierra Madre. The road will be covered with disintegrated granite, and will be fine for driving.

Henry McCoy, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. of San Francisco, will deliver the next lecture in the Y.M.C.A. course Thursday evening on "The Humorous Side of a European Trip."

Mrs. C. B. Sawyer of Arlington Heights has returned from the East and is at No. 99 North Marengo avenue. The mansion on the Heights will not be opened this season.

Walter Brown's bicycle was smashed this morning in a collision at the corner of Raymond avenue and Colorado street. Brown escaped with a few bruises.

John Ryan, a tramp, out of jail today, was gathered in again this afternoon on the charge of vagrancy, and was sent back to jail by Justice Merriam.

E. C. Clapp of this city has received a ten-year service medal from the headquarters of the National Guard. He was one of the veterans of Co. I.

Rev. S. F. Gibb, who was walking with the aid of crutches, fell on the sidewalk on Colorado street last evening and was injured internally.

The Throop baseball club will play with the St. Vincent's College nine in Los Angeles Saturday afternoon.

E. Ward has sold his place at the corner of Summit and Mountain to J. E. Snyder.

Lamanda Park is forwarding seven carloads of oranges a week.

A dance was given at La Casa Grande tonight.

Fine turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese, bulk, shell and canned oysters, at Halsted's, No. 16 South Fair Oaks.

To do up shirts, collars and cuffs the best of any laundry, and abolish rough edges, is the pride of the New Troy.

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New outings and novelty dress ginghams just opened at Bon Accord.

Only Hammam Turkish baths in Los Angeles, 210 S. Broadway.

You can have "domestic" or gloss finish at the Pacific Laundry.

Choice beef, lamb, mutton and pork at Breiner's City Market.

MONROVIA.

CHARGE AGAINST A BOY.

MONROVIA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Bun Shaw, a colored boy about 19 years of age, had a preliminary trial Tuesday afternoon in Justice Cooke's court, on a charge of criminal assault, alleged to have been committed upon the person of his little niece, 8 years of age. The crime is said to have been committed on the night of December 15 last, at the home of Bun Shaw's brother, Duncan Shaw, Duarte, during the absence of the parents of the little girl. Constable Davisson did not hear of the affair for several days, and when he went to look for the boy he had disappeared. He was apprehended in San Diego last Friday, and captured the next day while trying to get across into Mexico. His trial here resulted in his being bound over to the Superior Court.

MONROVIA BREVITIES.

C. G. Rogers, president of the Board of Trustees, has resigned, to take effect April 7. Four Trustees will consequently have to be elected April 9.

The Los Angeles County W.C.T.U. School of Methods will be held in Monrovia the 21st and 22d insts. It will open with a lecture on "Gospel Purity" by Mrs. Mary E. Teats.

The funeral of Mrs. Delia Milligan, wife of J. T. Milligan, was held yesterday afternoon.

The contractors have completed putting in the large new air compressor at the pumping plant, and it will be tested in a few days.

Development work on the Creole gold claim, owned by Decker & Downing, is progressing. The shaft was sunk twenty-five feet, and a crosscut made of the vein. It showed fourteen feet in width. A twenty-five-foot tunnel is now being made. At the end of this another twenty-five-foot tunnel will be made, and the vein again crosscut to ascertain its width. This will be repeated until a depth of seventy-five feet is obtained, when, if assays hold out as good as they have thus far, parties have agreed to put in a cyanide mill. The lowest assay at the present level is said to be $7.80 a ton.

SANTA MONICA.

A JURY OF THREE.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Trial by jury on a charge of begging was the unusual event in Justice Guldinger's court this morning. The defendant was James Hayes, who was one of a party of three arrested Wednesday for vagrancy Contrary to the custom in such cases Hayes demanded a jury trial, but consented to having only three jurors. They found him guilty, and he went to the County Jail for eighteen days.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

The Woman's Relief Corps gave a ten Thursday in Fraternal Hall. A programme was presented, in which the participants were Mrs. Nevel, Miss Winnie Connelly and Miss Gertrude O'Brien.

The Santa Monica planing mill and a number of buildings in connection are being moved from the Ninth-street site where they have stood for several years, to a location south of the city limits near Ocean Park.

The Arcadia Hotel was reopened Thursday. Among the guests staying at the big hostelry are Mr. and Mrs. B. Ilfeld and son of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Smith of St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Winnell of Omaha, Neb.; Mrs. A. O. Hall and daughter of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Turner of Spokane, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh of Montana.

THE TIMES wishes to inform its subscribers, old and new, that they can still have a handsome mantel medallion made by sending photo and remittance to The Times, according to following sizes and style: Four-inch mat or silk finish easel medallion, 45 cents. Seven and one-half inch mat or silk-finish easel medallion, 65 cents. Either size or style tinted, 15 cents extra. In ordering, be careful to state size and style desired. Samples may be seen at The Times subscription department, and all principal agencies in Southern California and Arizona.

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ORANGE COUNTY.

SEWER SYSTEM LOOKED UPON AS A WHITE ELEPHANT.

Some of the Residents of Santa Ana Dissatisfied With the Work of Construction—Feeling Comes from the Fact That Roots of Trees Get into the Pipes—Power for Ranchers.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] There are residents in Santa Ana, who feel that the city has acquired a white elephant of more than usual proportions in its present extensive system of sewerage. Not that a good sewer was not needed in the city, but that the construction of the system was not what the taxpayers had a right to expect. This feeling is of recent origin; only since it has become known to a certainty that the roots of so many different varieties of trees are finding their way into the pipe through apparently defective joints, and consequently damaging the system to a greater or less extent.

From recent investigation, it has been found that this damage is of such an extent that the Board of Trustees has concluded that all trees in the city, where roots menace the sewer, will have to be removed. Many residents of the city, while they realize the importance of preserving the sewer system, have vigorously protested against what seemed to them, wanton destruction of the beautiful shade trees that have aligned the streets of Santa Ana for the past twenty years. Upon inquiry, and, in some instances special and personal investigation, they have found that the damage to the system has come through what they believe to be faulty construction of the system. This phase of the situation brings the matter "up to" the inspectors who were paid by the city to see that the contractors did their work according to specifications.

The threatened removal of so many trees by the City Trustees has stirred up considerable feeling among numerous property holders, and it is not unlikely that a vigorous protest will yet be made against the Trustees' proposed action, as well as further investigation relative to the alleged faulty construction of the sewer system.

POWER FOR RANCHERS.

It is not improbable that an electric line will be run from this city across the river to the Garden Grove and Westminster section of the county, for the purpose of furnishing power to the ranchers of that section, which is irrigated almost wholly by artesian wells. Dry seasons have materially affected the flow in the wells, and in some instances resulted in the flow of water being stopped, and numerous farmers are desirous of securing electric power for pumping plants. There seems to be plenty of water in the wells for all practical purposes, save that it will not flow as in former years. The expense of electric power will, no doubt, determine as to whether the same could be made practicable for pumping purposes. If this expense can be made within the limit of the ranchers, the line will in all probability be constructed.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

RAIN-MAKING EXPERIMENTS.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Maj. J. G. Capron and Capt. J. V. Mumford became interested in the recent experiments to produce rain at Otay and have determined to give the sulphuric-acid and zinc test a trial on a broader basis. The experimental stations are distributed so as to include a large area. Seventeen hundred pounds of sulphuric acid and 500 pounds of zinc are to be consumed in the test, which began last night. It is intended to keep the sulphuretted hydrogen gas in process of liberation for forty-eight hours.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Capt. Rombough and Lieut. Bethel, accompanied by Lieut. McManus, departed Thursday for the North, having concluded their visit and examination of enlisted men in Battery D.

The British warship Arethusa, on her first cruise from the home station, is scheduled to enter this port tomorrow. She has been ordered to the Pacific Coast to take the place of the Amphitrite, and is due at Esquimalt the middle of this month.

James Monaghan, father of Ensign Monaghan of the U.S.S. Philadelphia who was killed at Samoa, is in the city.

Five acres of land have recently been purchased by the trustees of Oceanside for the development of water for city use.

George C. Ford, whose death took place yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital, came here from Montana. The body will be shipped to his home for burial.

CORONADO BEACH.

LOST ALL HE HAD.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Robert T. Greenwood of Coronado, who lost his wife, child and home by fire Wednesday, is in a pitiable mental condition, and may lose his mind. Nothing was saved except the clothes Mr. Greenwood wore. A subscription was started at the hotel Wednesday afternoon for the benefit of the afflicted man.

CORONADO BREVITIES.

Mrs. George R. Newell and Mrs. B. T. Wilson, who have been north since Christmas, have returned to Coronado Beach.

Mrs. F. W. Kellogg of Omaha and Miss Virginia Scripps of Rushville, Ill., were visitors during the past week at this resort.

The San Diego Water Polo Club won its first victory of the season at last evening's contest with the Coronados, at the Coronado plunge, making a score of 2 to 1.

Arrivals yesterday included Misses Beatrice and Minnie Campbell, Los Angeles; Mrs. T. H. Phillips, Duluth; Mrs. W. H. Holmes, Waterbury, Ct.; Col. and Mrs. H. A. Camson, Scranton, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cresswell, Jr., Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greene, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Liebere, Alameda.

VENTURA COUNTY.

RECEPTION TO BARD.

VENTURA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] A reception will be tendered United States Senator-elect Thomas R. Bard in this city next Wednesday afternoon. Dr. C. L. Bard received a telegram from D. T. Perkins, stating: "Senator Bard will be happy to greet friends at Ventura on that day. Avoid speeches if possible, and let it be quite informal." A mass meeting of the citizens will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the City Hall to make arrangements for the reception.

SHIPPING NEWS.

During January produce was shipped from this port to San Francisco by steamer as follows: Small white beans, 2182 bags; 2143 bags lima beans, 731 boxes oranges, 17 boxes lemons, 300 bags corn, 79 bags beans, 75 bags apricot pits, 418 bags of asphalt, 199 bundles green hides, 52 bags chiles, 15 tons scrap iron, and 220 packages of miscellaneous freight. The oil steamer George Loomis also made seven trips, taking 44,208 barrels of oil. She took 925 barrels for fuel.

The steamer South Coast arrived yesterday morning with 325,000 feet redwood lumber for the Ventura County Lumber Company. The steamer Coos Bay sailed for San Francisco yesterday with 168 boxes oranges. The steamer Bonita took 270 boxes of oranges on Sunday.

VENTURA BREVITIES.

About fifteen men are employed in tearing down the asphaltum manufacturing plant of the California Asphaltum Company near the Southern Pacific yards. The stills and oil tanks will be shipped to Los Angeles. The lead houses and furnaces for the manufacture of sulphuric acid will not be removed at present. This property is all the property of the asphaltum trust. A San Francisco corporation has petitioned the City Council for permission to erect an asphalt manufacturing plant in this same vicinity.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

TROPHY FOR SPORTSMEN.

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] A handsome silver trophy cup was exhibited here this morning by members of the Mission Gun Club. It is the gift of W. H. Seaver of San Francisco, given to commemorate his having broken the Coast blue-rock record in breaking 99 out of 100 blue rocks, and 124 out of 125. The cup is to be shot for during 1900. Each shoot is to be at twenty-five targets, known traps, unknown angles. The man who wins it the greatest number of times during the year will win the cup.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

The funeral of J. S. Ogan of the Carpinteria Valley took place there today.

J. S. Colby of the local polo club has received letters from Burlingame players, who agree to send one or two teams to this city to take part in a sporting tournament proposed for April or May. The Riverside team has also agreed to participate.

Mayor Storke returned at noon today from a trip to San Francisco, where he looked after the affairs of the More estate, a part of which consists of Santa Rosa Island, in the Santa Barbara Channel.

Gate City's Condition not Bad.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The steamer Gate City, which went ashore in the fog last night at Great South Beach, lies today inside the outer bar with her bow bent. The vessel is in good condition, and will probably float when lightened. Passengers who were landed last night came to New York by train today. The crew will not be permitted to land until the captain receives orders from the ship's owners.

L.A.W.'s Next President.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The Herald says that Conway W. Sams of Baltimore will almost certainly be the next president of the League of American Wheelmen. He has declared himself unalterably opposed to the retention of racing interests by the league.

BISHOP M'CABE.

The Famous Minister's Experience With Coffee.

The well-known bishop said to one of his friends, some years ago, "I was a great sufferer from severe headaches, and at times after traveling many miles to dedicate a church or perform some other important duty, found myself confined to a bed when the time came, and was unable to carry out my work. I finally discovered that when I left off coffee for a few days, the headaches disappeared, and by further experiment, discovered that the coffee was undoubtedly the cause of the difficulty, which finally entirely disappeared when I left off coffee altogether."

The person to whom this remark was made is Mrs. Amy K. Glass, wife of a Methodist minister at Rolfe, Ia. She says: "My own experience with coffee was very convincing. I was grown up before I ever drank coffee, but was advised by a friend (who meant it kindly) to use weak tea and coffee, because a warm drink aided digestion. I soon thereafter commenced to have nervous and sick headaches: could not believe it was coffee.

"My husband, who had suffered from dyspepsia while a young man in college, and found relief by leaving off coffee, often told me he was satisfied my headaches were caused by coffee, so I gave up the coffee and took up Postum Cereal Food Coffee. The change taught me in a most convincing manner that coffee was the cause of the headaches, but now I have an equally good coffee in Postum, and its health-giving properties are simply undeniable. Our little children use Postum regularly and go off to school as healthy and happy as children should. If ever husband or myself take a drink of weak coffee at an evening gathering or church social, we are kept awake until after past the middle of the night. Yours for health."

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

FROST-FIGHTING EXPERIMENT.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] A successful experiment was made at an early hour this morning with E. A. Meacham's hot-water frost-protection plant, in the presence of Forecast Official McAdie, of San Francisco, and several members of the Riverside Horticultural Club. The idea is to raise the temperature in orchards by turning hot water into the furrows. The plant consists of a 12-horse-power boiler placed under the level of the flume, and so arranged that water may be delivered with or without pressure. There is an auxiliary 5-horse-power boiler for burning oil, with a steam jet. Two records of temperatures were taken this morning under different conditions. Those present express themselves as satisfied with the success of the experiment.

G.A.R. RECEPTION.

Masonic Hall was well filled last evening, the occasion being a reception tendered to Capt. A. F. Dill of San Diego, Department Commander of the G.A.R., by Riverside Post and the Woman's Relief Corps. The meeting was presided over by D. G. Mitchell, commander of the post. After a musical selection by the Misses Edna Tinker and Emma Ruby, Judge J. F. Crowe, senior vice-commander, made the speech of welcome. Mrs. M. M. Davis spoke for the corps. Commander Dill responded in a happy vein, outlining the work and aims of the organization. There were other musical numbers, and speeches were made by Past Commander H. C. Hibbard, Judge Potter, adjutant of the local post, and others.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] A meeting was held today at the Bethel Church, at which the Congregational churches of San Bernardino and nearby towns were represented, to examine the standing of the church society, and if satisfactory to admit the church into full fellowship with the Congregational churches of the State. The church, which is located on Mt. Vernon avenue, has been conducted as a mission during the past year. This evening, Rev. Dr. J. Francis Davies, of the First Congregational Church, delivered the welcoming address to the Bethel congregation.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

E. E. English and John Mallon, who stole several dozen neckties from the Hotel Stewart sample-rooms a few days ago, pleaded guilty yesterday afternoon in Judge Campbell's court to the charge of burglary in the second degree. English was sentenced to San Quentin for fifteen months and Mallon was given a like term at Folsom.

The Sons of Veterans have completed preparations for the proper celebration of Lincoln day, next Monday. The exercises will be held at the First Methodist Church.

Robert Francis M. Mathis died yesterday, after a few days' illness, at his home at Cajon. The remains were brought here today for interment. The deceased was a native of Tennessee, and came to this section a quarter of a century ago, and was well known to all the pioneer settlers. He was a brother-in-law of John Bessant of this city.

The horse and bugy stolen some time ago at Bloomington were found yesterday in the possession of two Redlands men, who were going to Rialto. When questioned, they said they had bought the outfit at Riverside and were on their way on an overland trip to the northern part of the State.

Thrown from His Wagon.

A Chinaman who was unable to give his name was seriously injured by being thrown from his wagon at the branch packing-house of the Fay Fruit Company at the southern end of Central avenue at 6 o'clock last evening. He was driving to the packing-house when his team ran away, and in his efforts to stop the horses the bridles broke. The horses made a sharp turn and the Chinaman was thrown out, striking upon his head. The only visible injury was a cut over the left eye, but he was so crazed by the shock that it required four men to hold him. At the Receiving Hospital he became delirious and had to be strapped in bed. He is suffering from concussion of the brain, and his injuries may result fatally.

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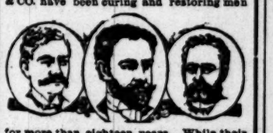

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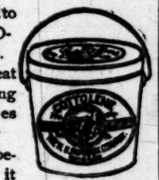

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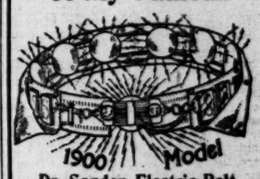

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California Limited—Leaves 6 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Arrives 1:30 p.m., Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday.

Overland Express—Leaves 10:10 a.m. daily. Arrives 9:25 a.m. daily.

San Diego—Leave for, 8:50 a.m., 2:00 p.m. Arrive from, 12:10 p.m., 5:47 p.m.

San Bernardino, via Pasadena—Leave for, 8:30 a.m., 10:10 a.m., 4:20 p.m., ad 5:00 p.m. Arrive from San Bernardino, via Pasadena, 8:35 a.m., 9:50 a.m., 11:50 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

San Bernardino, via Orange—Leave for, ad 8:50 a.m., *10:00 a.m., 5:05 p.m. Arrive from San Bernardino, via Orange, *10:55 a.m., ad 12:10 p.m., 6:47 p.m.

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Santa Monica—Leave for, *9:54 a.m. Arrive from, *4:25 p.m.

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The company's elegant steamers Santa Rosa and Corona leave Redondo at 11 A.M. and Port Los Angeles at 2:30 P.M. for San Francisco via Santa Barbara and Port Harford Feb. 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26; March 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, 30; April 3 and every fourth day thereafter. Leave Port Los Angeles at 5:45 A.M. and Redondo at 10:45 A.M. for San Diego, Feb. 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28; March 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28; April 1, and every fourth day thereafter.

Cars connect via Redondo leave Santa Fe depot at 9:05 A.M., or from Redondo Ry depot at 9:30 A.M. Cars connect via Port Los Angeles leave S. P. R. R. depot at 1:30 P.M. for steamers north bound.

The steamers Coos Bay and Bonita leave San Pedro for San Francisco, via East San Pedro, Ventura, Carpinteria, Santa Barbara, Goleta, Gaviota, Port Harford, Cayucos, San Simeon, Monterey and Santa Cruz at 9 P.M. Feb. 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27; March 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31; April 4, and every fourth day thereafter.

Cars connect with steamers via San Pedro leave S. P. R. R. (Arcade Depot) at 8:00 P.M., and Terminal Ry depot at 8:30 P.M. Sunday at 1:45 P.M. For further information obtain folder. The company reserves the right to change steamers, sailing dates and hours of sailing, without previous notice.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—[Exclusive dispatch.] T. Masac of Los Angeles is at the Astor House.

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City Briefs.

The Times wishes to inform its subscribers, old and new, that they can still have a handsome mantel medallion made by sending photo and remittance to The Times, according to following sizes and style: Four-inch mat or silk-finish easel medallion, 45 cents; seven and one-half-inch mat or silk-finish easel medallion, 65 cents; either size or style tinted, 15 cents extra. In ordering, be careful to state size and style desired. Samples may be seen at The Times supscription department, and all principal agencies in Southern California and Arizona.

Remember the needy. Save your cast-off clothing, beds, bedding or stoves for poor families of the city. A request is also made for shoes and clothing for poor children. There are many poor families in need of wholesome food, and potatoes, beans, groceries, or canned fruit will be most thankfully received. Drop a card to Fred Vrigsted, at the "Good Samaritan" (formerly Capt. Frazer's place,) No. 126 East Seventh street, and anything you have to donate will be called for.

Of the 200,000 shares of Central Oil Company's stock offered to the public, 90,000 shares remain open for subscription at the office of the company, rooms 417 and 418 Douglas building, First National Bank and Merchants' National Bank, Los Angeles, and at the San Gabriel Valley Bank of Pasadena. The management proposes to prosecute development work from proceeds of sale of stock, and use monthly income from 9000 barrels, present monthly production, also proceeds from new developments, for dividend distribution.

The beautiful new Westlake Methodist Episcopal Church will be dedicated on Sunday, Rev. E. R. Dille, D. D., of Oakland, will preach morning and evening. Music by Miss Mollie Adelia Brown and Russell Ballard, assisted by the church quartette, under direction of Mrs. F. L. Fuller. Oscar Lafayette Llenau will sing at the evening services. Services commence promptly at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Seats free.

Patrons of The Times who have paid in advance for our new book, "The War With Spain and the Philippines," can get same at the subscription department of The Times upon presentation of receipt. This book is for sale to Times subscribers only at the very low price of 60 cents, or it will be given free as a premium with a six-months prepaid subscription.

On Monday, February 12, 1900, the Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House will remove from its temporary location on the basement of the Times building, to its new and commodious quarters just erected for it at No. 110 North Broadway, where both old and new patrons will be hearily welcomed.

Fine Belgian hare cooked to order, 35 cents; young roast chicken or turkey with cranberry sauce, hot butter biscuits and potatoes, 20 cents, at the Royal Restaurant, Spring street between First and Second, where fine orchestra plays during dinner.

Learn all about Southern California, its climate, soil, people, productions, commerce, progress and general business conditions, by sending 10 cents for a copy of the mammoth Midwinter Edition of The Los Angeles Times.

Orders to purchase or sell stocks on the Los Angeles Oil Exchange, given prompt attention. Also crude oil sold on the exchange. Correspondence solicited. Charles Victor Hall, office 246 Wilcox Block.

Rev. J. S. Thomson, M.A., subject for sermon Sunday morning, "Christ and His Relatives," with his answer to the question, "Shall We Know Each Other in the Hereafter?"

First Baptist Church Sunday services, Rev. Joseph Smale will preach at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. All welcome.

For time of arrival and departure of Santa Fé trains, see "Time Card" in today's Times.

Ladies' get oriental rugs and curtains, less than cost. 122 W. Fourth st.

Forty finest stamp photos only 25 cents. "Sunbeam," 236 South Main st.

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The Army and Navy Republican League will meet at Elks' Hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

March 25 has been set as the date for dedicating the new First Methodist Church, corner Sixth and Hill. It is expected that Bishop C. C. McCabe will be present to preach the dedicatory sermon.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. L. Watson, C. M. Montgomery, A. Woods, Dr. T. J. Eaton, Robert Arrington, U. C. Meehan, Miss Lillie Johnson.

The third convention of the Presbyterian Laiety Association of Southern California will be held in Boyle Heights church next Tuesday. "Revivals" is the general topic for discussion. The convention will open at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Mary M. Mathews, mother of Postmaster J. R. Mathews, is seriously ill at the home of her son, No. 822 Westlake avenue. Mrs. Mathews is quite aged, being in her seventy-seventh year, and has been in feeble health for several years.

Arrangements are now made by which Santa Monica is to have increased mail facilities, beginning the 19th inst. On and after that date the mail will be carried by the electric cars, three times daily. Pouches will also be carried for Sawtell, the Soldiers' Home and Ocean Park.

There will be a meeting of the Republican league clubs of Southern California at the Union League rooms this evening, at which time Col. George Stone, president of the State League of Republican Clubs, will be on hand to meet brother Republicans. All league members are invited to be present.

A paper on the subject, "Science of Motherhood," was read at the monthly mothers' meeting of the Central W.C.T.U., at Temperance Temple, by Miss Schaeffer of the Pasadena Free Kindergarten. The paper is to be re-read at the next meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Unions, in March.

The condition of Mrs. Ellen G. Tweeddale, who was knocked down and terribly injured by a Traction car Thursday night at the corner of Alvarado and Eighth streets, was unchanged up to a late hour last night. Dr. Choate, the attending physician, says that there is a possible chance, but holds out no hope of her recovery.

Two Small Burglaries.

The meat store of Bang & Clark at No. 836 West Seventh street was entered by a thief some time before daylight yesterday. The thief must have had a key to the place, for the door was found open, and there was nothing to indicate that an entrance had been forced. The cash register had been opened, but only 25 cents and several telephone slugs were secured by the thief.

The room of a cook named Boulet at the Abbotsford Inn, Eighth and Hope streets, was entered by a thief Thursday night, and a valise containing several articles of clothing, a razor and a revolver, was stolen.

PERSONAL.

Earl Rogers, Esq., returned from the North yesterday on the noon train. While away Mr. Rogers visited Arizona and also a number of cities in the northern part of California. He was at Sacramento during a part of the Senatorial fight, and returning, spent some time in San Francisco.

Ex-Senator White's Health.

Some very disquieting rumors have been afloat in regard to the health of ex-Senator Stephen M. White, who is now at Paraiso Springs, in Monterey county. It is stated on good authority, however, that the distinguished lawyer's friends have been needlessly alarmed, and that the ex-Senator is really in better health than he has enjoyed for some time. Another guest at the springs writes that Mr. White is able to outwalk and outrun any one at the springs, and is feeling better than he has for months. Ex-Senator White has been at the springs for some time.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Alfred Careno Croftan, aged 30, a native of New York, and Elizabeth Pallister Hubbard, aged 28, a native of West Virginia; both residents of Pasadena.

Thomas T. Lewis, aged 38, a native of Illinois and a resident of Simi, Cal., and Mrs. Nettie van Buren, aged 38, a native of Illinois and a resident of Seattle, Wash.

Walter P. Bolton, aged 29, a native of New York, and Ella B. James, aged 16, a native of Iowa; both residents of Pomona. The mother consents to her daughter's marriage.

DEATH RECORD.

NEVIN—Joseph R. Nevin, aged 72 years. Funeral Saturday, 2:30 p.m., from residence of M. F. Lucas, No. 1124 East Twenty-eighth street. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

WOOD—Friday, February 9, Raymond Le Roy Wood, son of W. W. Wood and Mrs. Jessie E. Wood, aged 6 years 5 months and 10 days. Funeral services to be held at the Nazarene Church, Scott avenue, Elysian Heights, at 2 p.m., Sunday. Friends invited.

MARION—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Mollette, No. 345 North Flower street, Capt. F. N. Marion, a native of Ohio, aged 63 years.

Funeral from parlors of Orr & Hines, No. 647 South Broadway, Sunday, February 11, 1900, at 2 o'clock p.m., under the auspices of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 205, K. of P., and Bartlett-Logan Post, G.A.R. Friends invited. Interment Rosedale.

M'COY—Friday evening, Hazel McCoy, aged 16 years, the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McCoy.

Funeral will take place from residence, No. 528 San Julian street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

LODGE NOTICE.

The members of Bartlett-Logan Post, No. 6, G.A.R., and the Bartlett-Logan Drum Corps are requested to meet at the undertaking parlors of Orr & Hines, South Broadway, at 1:30 p.m., Sunday, to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Capt. F. N. Marion.

J. W. VAN HORNE, P. C.
JOHN DAVIS, Adjt.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 205, Knights of Pythias, are requested to meet at Castle Hall, No. 108 North Spring street, Sunday, February 11, at 1:15 p.m., to attend funeral of Brother F. N. Marion. All Knights of Pythias invited to attend.

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Ever so many of the new spring suits are finding ready buyers. You'll see the reason quick enough when you see the suits.

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Another in gray or brown homespun with box pleated skirt and tight-fitting Eton Jacket at $12.50.

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Closing-Out Sale—

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Values like the following will quickly settle the question of lace supremacy. No such prices were ever before quoted on like qualities.

6¼ to 10c Oriental laces in cream and white up to 4 inches wide; pretty patterns in a vast variety..... 3¾c

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12½c to 20c black, white and cream chantilly laces up to 3¼ inches wide, for..... 10c

$1.50 to $2.50 black lace flouncings 45 inches wide; exquisite patterns at..... 98c

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Biggest and best pencil tablets in the world.
Cream wove ink tablets, 5c
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School compasses, 5c
2 boxes of five slate pencils for 5c
Nickel-plated pencil and pen holder, 5c
Large box colored crayons, 10c
Cloth bound note books, 5c

Petticoat Specials Among the special sales offered by us today are a nelette underskirts in pink and blue stripes, cut extra wide and full; at..... 25

Fancy striped silkoi petticoats in assorted colors; double knee flounce lined with crinoline..... 49

An assortment of $1.50 to $2.50 petticoats in fancy stripes, plaids and solid colors; all reduced to..... $1.

Youths' Suits 30 odd lines of youths' suits made of all wool cassimeres, Franklin cheviots, tweeds and serges. Light and dark colorings in plain and fancy English mixtures. Single breasted, round cut coats with the new high cut vests; ages 13 to 17. Our $6 to $7.50 suits cut to.. $4.95

Imperfect China Every now and then we sell off a lot of imperfect china—pieces that have become chipped or crazed or hurt by careless handling. Among this lot are salad bowls, plates, vases, sugars, creamers, cups and saucers, fancy trays, bowls, jardinieres, etc. Prices are ridiculously low.

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TONIGHT

BARGAINS 7:00 TO 10:00 P.M.

Special Laces.
Cotton laces up to 5 inches wide; regular 8½c and 10c qualities; tonight..... 2c

Wrappers.
The quality sold about town at $1.00 each; nicely made and full, ample width; tonight..... 75c

Kitchen Towels.
Liberal size, long fringe, bleached kitchen towels; in all about 100 dozens to be sold tonight at..... 6¼c

Pillow Cases.
A limited quantity of handmade pillow cases, 45x36 inches in size; tonight at..... 10c

Washday Helps.
8c polio, per cake, 5c.
3-inch bar Castile soap, 3½c.
Tip-Top borax soap, 3½c.
20c 8-quart galvanized pail, 12c.
65c galvanized washtub, 49c.

Boys' Overcoats
About a dozen cape overcoats for boys; slightly soiled; $1.50 qualities; tonight..... 48c

Boys' Waists
Mother's Friend and Star waists, made of percale and laundered; light and dark colors; some are soiled; 75c and $1.00 grades; tonight at..... 48c

White Aprons
Women's aprons made of fine lawn, with wide border, in openwork lace effects; tonight at..... 15c

Odd Curtains
A variety of odd curtains worth from 50c to $1.00 each; 2 to 3½ yards long; tonight at..... 29c

Dress Skirts
Black brocaded dress skirts, perfect fitting and nicely made; our $1.50 leaders; tonight at..... $1.19

Overalls.
Men's overalls made of heavy 8-ounce denim; double stitched and copper riveted; our 50c leaders; tonight for..... 39c

Working Shirts.
Our entire line of 50c shirts, in light and dark colorings; tonight at..... 39c

Drug Specials.
Bromo seltzer, 5c.
Seidlitz powders, 6 in box, 15c.
Laxative bromo quinine, 12½c.
Extract of beef, Leibig process, 25c.
Mennen's talcum powder, 12½c.

Men's Shoes.
Our $2.50 vici kid and calf shoes in lace or congress styles, newest toes; tonight for..... $1.98

Black Ribbons.
Black satin and moire ribbons from 1 to 3½ inches wide; all silk and worth 25c; tonight at..... 12½c

Combine Shoe Sale

Our combination of placing two of the largest shoe stocks in the city on sale at 40c, 50c and 65c on the dollar has awakened the people to purchase shoes and store them for future use. Every kind of shoes for Men, Women and Children are here in any style. Price is below any competition.

STEP LIVELY Is the order we give to

20,000 pairs of shoes for Saturday

	Regular Price.	Sale Price
Ladies' Patent Calf Lace, French heels, kid top, hand-turned soles; aa, a, b, c widths	$5.00	$3.5
Ladies' Vici Kid, Lace, Goodyear welt soles, kid top, narrow, medium and full toes	$4.00	$2.5
Ladies' Tan Kid, Lace, hand-turned soles, nice color, all sizes, in a, b, c, d	$4.00	$2.7
Men's Tan Calf, Lace, brass eyelets, Goodyear Welt soles, Princeton toe	$5.00	$3.0
Men's Vici Kid, Lace, Cornell and Derby toes Goodyear welt soles	$3.50	$2.5

Boys', Misses' and Children's shoes are all marching to the quick-step tune of cut prices.

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7 lbs. Pink or White Beans	25c	4 lbs. Pearl Barley	25c
4 lbs. Lima Beans	25c	6 lbs. good Rice	25c
5 lbs. Green Dried Peas	25c	3½ lbs. Japan Head Rice	25c
5 lbs. Split Peas	25c	4 qts. Cranberries	25c

THE Entire Contents of Meyberg Bros.' Store has been reduced and will be sold at private sale after at private sale.
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